

Community Bankers Trust Corp
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 THOMAS BRUCE E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Community Bankers Trust Corp [ESXB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 9954 MAYLAND DRIVE, SUITE 2100
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 08/12/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP and CFO

RICHMOND, VA 23233

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	08/12/2016	08/12/2016	M	17,750 A \$ 1.25	23,558	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2016	08/12/2016	S ⁽¹⁾	8,636 D \$ 5.22	14,922	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.25	08/12/2016		M	17,750	<u>(2)</u> 01/19/2022	Common Stock 17,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
THOMAS BRUCE E 9954 MAYLAND DRIVE SUITE 2100 RICHMOND, VA 23233			EVP and CFO	

Signatures

/s/ John M Oakey, III, by power of attorney 08/16/2016

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) The Reporting Person sold the shares of Common Stock to pay the exercise price and tax withholding obligations of the associated stock option exercise.

(2) The option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on January 19, 2013.

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