#### **BROOKLINE BANCORP INC**

Form 4/A March 30, 2009

## FORM 4

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1(b).

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PECK CHARLES H Sym BRO		Symbol	BROOKLINE BANCORP INC				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		of Earliest Transaction Day/Year) 2009				X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President			
Filed(M		Filed(Mor	If Amendment, Date Original ed(Month/Day/Year) /25/2009				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						ly Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common stock	03/24/2009			M	51,234 (1)	A	\$ 9.65 (1)	459,832	D	
Common stock	03/24/2009			F	49,941 (2)	D	\$ 9.9	409,891	D	
Common stock								10,000	I	Spouse

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 ctionDerivative Securities Acquired 8) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Stock option (3)	\$ 9.65 (3)	03/24/2009		M		51,234 (3)	03/19/2009	04/19/2009	Common stock	51,2 (3
Stock option (5)	\$ 9.9 (4)	03/24/2009		A	49,941 (4)		03/24/2009	04/19/2009	Common stock	49,9 (4

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
PECK CHARLES H 160 WASHINGTON STREET BROOKLINE, MA 02447-0469	X		Executive Vice President				

## **Signatures**

Paul R. Bechet, Power of

Attorney 03/30/2009

\*\*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).
- On a Form 4 filed on March 25, 2009, this transaction was reported as the acquisition of 49,719 shares of common stock through the exercise of stock options at \$9.29 per share. It should have been reported as 51,234 shares acquired through the exercise of stock options at \$9.65 per share. This report reflects those corrections.
- (2) On a Form 4 filed on March 25, 2009, the amount of shares disposed was shown as 46,656 instead of 49,941. This report reflects the correction.
- (3) On a Form 4 filed on March 25, 2009, it was reported incorrectly that 49,719 stock options were exercised at \$9.29 per option. It should have been reported that 51,234 stock options were exercised at \$9.65 per option. This report reflects the correction.
- (4) On Form 4 filed on March 25, 2009, it was reported that 46,656 stock options were granted at \$9.11 per option. It should have been reported that 49,941 stock options were granted at \$9.90 per option.
- Other information concerning stock options previously reported on Form 4 dated March 25, 2009 is not repeated hereon since the information remains unchanged.

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