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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	es)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- Appling Michael JR				Symbol	Symbol Main Street Capital CORP [MAIN]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1300 POST OAK BLVD., STE. 800				(Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/15/2011											
(Street) HOUSTON, TX 77056					Filed(Month/Day/Year) Ap							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)	(Sta	te) (Zip)	Table	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									i		
(Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) any			tion Date, if	n Date, if Transaction			urities posed 3, 4 a	of (D)	A) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownersh Form: Direct (D	Benef	lirect icial		
					Code	v V	Amou		(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction((Instr. 3 and		or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	et (Instr	. 4)	
Common Stock	09/1	5/2011			P ⁽¹⁾	V	19.314	4	A	\$ 18.0986	32,309.890)3	D			
Common Stock	09/1	5/2011			P	V	212.6	192	A	\$ 18.098	32,522.509	95	D			
Reminder: directly or		separate line fo	or each	class of secu	rities b	enefici	ally ow	ned								
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		Table II		ivative Secur							cially Owned	l				
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1. Title of	2.	Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5.		Date Exer	rcisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	on	Numl	ber	and Expirati	on Date	Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Deriv	ative			Secu	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
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				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				

Reporting Owners

Denouting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Appling Michael JR 1300 POST OAK BLVD. STE. 800 HOUSTON, TX 77056	X							

Signatures

/s/ Rodger A. Stout as Attorney-in-Fact for Michael Appling, Jr.	10/17/2011
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 acquired these shares under a dividend reinvestment plan, pursuant to a dividend reinvestment transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16a-11.

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