## FORM 4

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and A French Arthu	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Main Street Capital CORP [MAIN]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last) 1300 POST	3. Date of (Month/E) 10/15/20	ay/Year		nsaction		<u>t</u>	X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
HOUSTON,	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (	Zip)	Table	I - Non-	Der	ivative Secu	ıritie	s Acqui	red, 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)  2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership				
			Code		v	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	10/15/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	V	35.133	A	\$ 29.44	9,107.0177	D	
Common Stock	10/15/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	V	12.44	A	\$ 29.44	1 21,326.821	Ι	Flying F, LLC (2)
Common Stock	10/15/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	v	106.3306	A	\$ 29.694	21,433.1516	Ι	Flying F, LLC (2)
Common Stock	11/15/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	V	37.818	A	\$ 27.489	9,144.8357	D	
Common Stock	11/15/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	V	13.391	A	\$ 27.489	21,446.5426	I	Flying F, LLC (2)
Common Stock	11/15/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	V	103.3961	A	\$ 30.691	21,549.9387	I	Flying F, LLC (2)
Common Stock	12/14/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	V	28.623	A	\$ 28.6	9,173.4587	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	V	12.941	A	\$ 28.6	21,562.8797	I	Flying F, LLC (2)
Common Stock	12/14/2012			P <sup>(1)</sup>	V	117.3809	A	\$ 29.086	21,680.2606	Ι	Flying F, LLC (2)
Common Stock	12/23/2012			G(3)	V	430	D	\$0	8,743.4587	D	
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Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	and Expirati	ion Date	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect	
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	of	(Month/Day	/Year)	Under	lying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial	
(Instr. 3)	Price of	·	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative		•	Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership	
,	Derivative		` .	Ì	Securities			(Instr.	3 and	, ,	Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)	
	Security				Acquired			4)			Following	Direct (D)		
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					Disposed						Transaction(s)	(I)		
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					4, and 5)									
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#### **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
French Arthur L. 1300 POST OAK BLVD. STE. 800 HOUSTON, TX 77056	X							

### **Signatures**

/s/ Jason B. Beauvais as Attorney-in-Fact for Arthur L. French	01/15/2013
**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.
- (2) Flying F, LLC is wholly owned by the reporting person and his wife.
- (3) The reporting person transferred these shares pursuant to a transaction exempt from Section 16(b) under Rule 16b-5.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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- I, Arthur L. French, a director of Main Street Capital Corporation (the "Company"), hereby authorize and designate each of Vincent D. Foster, Jason B. Beauvais, and Pamela Kemp as my agent and attorney-in-fact, with full power of substitution, to:
- (1) prepare and sign on my behalf any Form 3, Form 4 or Form 5 under Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and file the same with the Securities and Exchange Commission and each stock exchange on which the Company's securities are listed;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on my behalf which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, Form 4, or Form 5, under Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and timely file such form with the Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to me, in my best interest, or legally required by me, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on my behalf pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.
- I hereby grant to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. I acknowledge that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at my request, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of my responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in effect until I am no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to my holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by me in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

Dated: December 7, 2012 Signed: /s/ Arthur L. French