Massanelli Stephen C Form 4 January 18, 2019

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Massanelli Stephen C

(Last)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP [SFNC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) C/O SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL 01/16/2019

(Middle)

CORP., 501 MAIN STREET

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

below) below) **EVP**

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

PINE BLUFF, AR 71601

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of					of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
SFNC	01/16/2019		A	4,656	A	\$ 26.27	28,638	D	
SFNC	01/16/2019		F	1,697	D	\$ 26.27	26,941	D	
SFNC	01/17/2019		M	839	A	\$ 26.43	27,780	D	
SFNC	01/17/2019		F	255	D	\$ 26.43	27,525 (1)	D	
SFNC							4,700	D	

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SFNC	3,200	D
SFNC	300	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount of	8. Price
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	ionof	Expiration D	ate	Underlying S	Securities	Derivat
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Derivative	(Month/Day/	Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	Securit
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	, , ,				(Instr. 5
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 26.43	01/17/2019		M	839 (2)	(3)	(3)	Common	839 (2)	\$ 26.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Massanelli Stephen C							
C/O SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP.			EVP				
501 MAIN STREET			EVP				
PINE BLUFF, AR 71601							

Signatures

/s/ Stephen C. Massanelli by Piper P. 01/18/2019 Erwin

**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 number of beneficially owned securities shown in this column have been updated based on the reporting person's Form 4/A filed on January 18, 2019, with respect to the transaction that occurred December 15, 2016.

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- On February 8, 2018, the Company effected a 2-for1 stock split. The number of shares/units reported in this Form 4 has been adjusted to reflect the stock split.
- (3) The Restricted Stock Unit vested on January 17, 2019.
- (4) The balance of the Restricted Stock Unit vests on January 17, 2020. SFNC shares will be delivered within 30 days of vesting. Events such as retirement, death, disability and other specified events in the agreement may result in earlier vesting.

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