

Ritchie Bradford E
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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 *
 Ritchie Bradford E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SUMMIT FINANCIAL GROUP INC [SMMF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 119 CORNWALL LANE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 04/18/2019

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 President, Subsidiary Bank

CHARLESTON, WV 25314

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Common Stock | 04/18/2019 ⁽³⁾ | | J ⁽⁴⁾ | 583.1676 A | \$ 0 5,683.8436 | I | by ESOP |
| Common Stock | | | | | 16,781 | 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 2.54 | | | | | 07/27/2011 ⁽¹⁾ 07/27/2025 ⁽²⁾ | Common Stock 5,000 |
| Stock-Settled Stock Appreciation Rights | \$ 12.01 | | | | | 04/22/2016 ⁽¹⁾ 04/23/2025 | Common Stock 17,000 |
| Stock-Settled Stock Appreciation Rights | \$ 26.01 | | | | | 02/09/2018 ⁽¹⁾ 02/09/2027 | Common Stock 5,400 |
| Stock-Settled Stock Appreciation Rights | \$ 23.94 | | | | | 02/07/2020 ⁽¹⁾ 02/07/2029 | Common Stock 11,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Ritchie Bradford E 119 CORNWALL LANE CHARLESTON, WV 25314 | | | President, Subsidiary Bank | |

Signatures

Teresa D. Ely, Lmtd. POA,
Attorney-In-Fact 04/18/2019

__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) Option and/or SAR vests in 5 equal annual installments with beginning date indicated.
- (2) Option and/or SAR expires in 5 equal annual installments with the final date indicated.
- (3) The information reported herein is based on a plan statement dated 12/31/2018 received in April 2019.
- (4) Between January 1, 2018 and December 31, 2018, acquired 583.1676 shares of Summit Common Stock under the Summit Financial Group, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan.

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