

SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Wade Steven C

 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL
 CORP [SFNC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

 _____ Director _____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

EVP & Chief Credit Officer

 C/O SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL
 CORP., 501 MAIN STREET

(Street)

 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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PINE BLUFF, AR 71601

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or Price (D)		
SFNC	03/25/2015		A		490 ⁽¹⁾ \$ 44.4	6,878	D
SFNC						1,000	D
SFNC						2,998	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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 44.4	03/25/2015		A		848		03/25/2016	03/25/2025	Common	848
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 44.4	03/25/2015		A		848		03/25/2017	03/25/2025	Common	848
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 44.4	03/25/2015		A		849		03/25/2018	03/25/2025	Common	849

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Wade Steven C C/O SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP. 501 MAIN STREET PINE BLUFF, AR 71601	EVP & Chief Credit Officer

Signatures

/s/ Steven C. Wade by Piper P. Erwin
03/25/2015

**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) Shares will vest evenly over the next three years.

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