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OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Cowell Charles A. Issuer Symbol **GUARANTY BANCSHARES INC** (Check all applicable) /TX/ [GNTY] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 201 SOUTH JEFFERSON AVENUE 03/15/2019 Chm. & EVP-Guaranty Bank&Trust (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **MOUNT PLEASANT, TX 75455** Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price 5,000 Common 03/15/2019 Α 23,948 D 30.25 (1) Stock

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By RBC Capital Markets LLC, as

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By Issuer

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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)

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Reporting Owners

orting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cowell Charles A. 201 SOUTH JEFFERSON AVENUE MOUNT PLEASANT, TX 75455

Chm. & EVP-Guaranty Bank&Trust

Signatures

/s/ Randall R. Kucera, as attorney-in-fact 03/19/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person

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Date

Grant of restricted stock pursuant to employment agreement with the issuer under the Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. 2015 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2015 Plan"). Shares will vest ratably beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date over the five-year period following the

(1) grant date, or will vest in full upon the earlier occurrence of certain conditions set forth in the related award agreement or 2015 Plan. Any shares not yet vested are subject to forfeiture upon termination for cause or as otherwise specified in the 2015 Plan or related award agreement.

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