Bartlett David L Form 4 March 08, 2013

## FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Bartlett David L

SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP [SFNC]

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

below)

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

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

President and CBO

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

03/06/2013

CORP, 501 MAIN STREET

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

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

PINE BLUFF, AR 71603

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Seci	urities Ac	equired, Disposed	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
SFNC	03/06/2013		G	475	D	\$ 25.45	0	I	Bartlett Family Trust
SFNC							27,551	D	
SFNC							1,988	D	

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber 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
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.2	03/22/2004		X	0	12/31/2005	03/22/2013	Common	400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 23.78	07/26/2004		X	0	07/26/2008	07/26/2014	Common	600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 23.78	07/26/2004		X	0	12/31/2005	07/26/2014	Common	2,400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 24.5	05/23/2005		X	0	05/23/2007	05/24/2015	Common	222
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 24.5	05/23/2005		X	0	05/23/2008	05/24/2015	Common	222
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 24.5	05/23/2005		X	0	05/23/2009	05/24/2015	Common	222
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 24.5	05/23/2005		X	0	12/31/2005	05/24/2015	Common	444
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2007	05/20/2016	Common	360
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2008	05/20/2016	Common	360
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2009	05/20/2016	Common	360
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2010	05/20/2016	Common	360
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2011	05/20/2016	Common	360
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2007	05/20/2016	Common	500

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Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006	X	0	05/22/2008	05/20/2016	Common	500
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006	X	0	05/22/2009	05/20/2016	Common	500
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006	X	0	05/22/2010	05/20/2016	Common	500
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006	X	0	05/22/2011	05/20/2016	Common	3,000
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007	X	0	05/31/2008	05/31/2017	Common	480
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007	X	0	05/31/2009	05/31/2017	Common	480
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007	X	0	05/31/2010	05/31/2017	Common	480
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007	X	0	05/31/2011	05/31/2017	Common	480
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007	X	0	05/31/2012	05/31/2017	Common	480
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.31	05/29/2008	X	0	05/29/2009	05/28/2018	Common	1,284
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.31	05/29/2008	X	0	05/29/2010	05/28/2018	Common	1,284
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.31	05/29/2008	X	0	05/29/2011	05/28/2018	Common	1,284
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.31	05/29/2008	X	0	05/29/2012	05/28/2018	Common	1,284
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.31	05/29/2008	X	0	05/29/2013	05/28/2018	Common	1,284

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Topotting Owner Land, Land to	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Bartlett David L SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP 501 MAIN STREET PINE BLUFF, AR 71603	X		President and CBO			
Signatures						

/s/David L. Bartlett by Piper P. 03/08/2013

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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