#### SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP

Form 4

August 19, 2015

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

See Instruction

1(b).

**SFNC** 

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

KIRKLAND CHRISTOPHER R			Symbol SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP [SFNC]					NAL	Issuer (Check all applicable)			
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)						X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
4306 ESTESWOOD DRIVE			08/17/2015						,			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
NASHVILLE, TN 37215									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Т	able I -	Noi	n-Derivati	ive Se	curities A	Acquired, Dispose	ed of, or Benefi	icially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day	ate, if	Code (Instr.	8)	4. Security of (A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose 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	08/17/2015			S	v	7,400	(D)	\$ 45.16	247,250	D		
SFNC	08/18/2015			S		1,631	D	\$ 44.54	245,619	D		
SFNC									718,715	I	Trust	
SFNC									4,975	I	Spouse	
SFNC									17,644	I	Custodian for child (Bonner Elizabeth)	

Custodian for

child (Hayden Christopher)

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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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. Programme and the same	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KIRKLAND CHRISTOPHER R							
4306 ESTESWOOD DRIVE	X						
NASHVILLE, TN 37215							

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Christopher R. Kirkland by Piper P.

Erwin 08/19/2015

\*\*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).

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