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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(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 Gula Allen J Issuer Symbol SYNOVUS FINANCIAL CORP (Check all applicable)

[SNV]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director X_ Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year) P.O. BOX 120 06/21/2018

(Middle)

(Zip)

(First)

(State)

Other (specify below) below) **EVP & Chief Operations Officer**

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

COLUMBUS, GA 31902

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 7. Nature of (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Ownership Indirect Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Direct (D) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Fixed/Floating Rate Non-Cum

P D Perpetual 06/21/2018 2,000 \$ 25 2,000 Α

Preferred Stock

Ser D

Common Stock 73,683 D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	Amou Under Securi	Title and ount of derlying urities tr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Gula Allen J P.O. BOX 120

EVP & Chief Operations Officer

COLUMBUS, GA 31902

Signatures

/s/ Mary Maurice Young 06/22/2018

**Signature of Reporting Date

Explanation of Responses:

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