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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/02/2018

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify

3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, SUITE

(First)

(Middle)

1550

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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ATLANTA, GA 30305

(City)	(State) (Z	ip) Table	I - Non-De	rivative Se	curiti	es Acquire	d, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	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. Securiti nor Disposo (Instr. 3, 4)	ed 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)
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	05/02/2018		M	6,000	A	\$ 15.56	36,439.7633	D	

Fidelity Southern

Corporation 05/02/2018 M 10,000 A \$ 16.82 46,439.7633 D

- Common Stock

> S 05/02/2018 16,000 D 30,439.7633 D

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Corporation
- Common Stock

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- Common 9

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Stock

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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)	Secu Acqu or D (D)	urities uired (A) visposed of tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sl
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.56	05/02/2018		M		6,000	01/23/2015	01/23/2019	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	6,0
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.82	05/02/2018		M		10,000	03/19/2016	03/19/2020	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	10,
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.87						01/21/2017(1)	01/21/2021	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	10,0
Stock Option	\$ 22.91						01/19/2018(2)	01/19/2022	Fidelity Southern	10,

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(Right to Buy)			Corporation - Common Stock	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.75	01/18/2019 <u>(3)</u> 01/18/2023	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	1

10,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BOCKEL DAVID R 3490 PIEDMONT ROAD SUITE 1550 ATLANTA, GA 30305	X						

Signatures

Brittany Caylor, Attorney in Fact, David R.

Bockel 05/03/2018

**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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Exercisable: 1/3 on 1/21/2017; 1/3 on 1/21/2018; 1/3 on 1/21/2019
- (2) Exercisable: 1/3 on 1/19/2018, 1/3 on 1/19/2019, 1/3 on 1/19/2020
- (3) Exercisable: 1/3 on 1/18/2019, 1/3 on 1/18/2020, 1/3 on 1/18/2021

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