

FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP

Form 4

January 27, 2017

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Lankford William C Jr

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP
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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, STE 1550
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/27/2017

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

ATLANTA, GA 30305

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	01/27/2017		M		2,000	A	\$ 15.56 7,930.0969
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	01/27/2017		M		3,334	A	\$ 17.87 11,264.0969
Fidelity Southern	01/27/2017		S		5,334	D	\$ 24.4628 5,930.0969

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Corporation
- Common
Stock

Fidelity
Southern
Corporation
- Common
Stock

2,500

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By
spouse

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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)	5. Number 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 Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.56	01/27/2017		M	2,000	01/23/2015 ⁽¹⁾ 01/23/2019	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock 2,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.87	01/27/2017		M	3,334	01/21/2017 ⁽²⁾ 01/21/2021	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock 3,334
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.82 ⁽³⁾					03/19/2016 03/19/2020	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock 6,666

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Lankford William C Jr 3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, STE 1550 ATLANTA, GA 30305	X

Signatures

Brittany Caylor, Attorney in Fact for William C.
Lankford Jr. 01/27/2017

__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).
- (1) Exercisable: 1/3 on 1/23/2015; 1/3 on 1/23/2016; 1/3 on 1/23/2017
- (2) Exercisable: 1/3 on 1/21/2017; 1/3 on 1/21/2018; 1/3 on 1/21/2019
- (3) Exercisable: 1/3 on 3/19/16, 1/3 on 3/19/17, 1/3 on 3/19/18

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