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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.

See Instruction

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SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Harp Donald A Jr

(First) (Middle)

(Last)

3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, SUITE 1550

(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30305

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP [LION]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2018

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

Issuer

below)

X_ Director

Officer (give title

(Instr. 3 and 4)

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1.Title of Security | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 3. Transacti | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or orDisposed of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of Indirect |
|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|---|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| (Instr. 3) | (Monuil/Day/Tear) | any | Code | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | Beneficially | Form: | Beneficial |
| (====================================== | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (====================================== | Owned | Direct (D) | Ownership |
| | | | | | Following | or Indirect | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | (A) | Reported | (I) | |
| | | | | (A) | Transaction(s) | (Instr. 4) | |

or

(D) Price Code V Amount

Southern 109.2854 A 23,604.1362 D Corporation 05/04/2018 Α

- Common Stock

Fidelity

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. DiNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year | | 7. Title and Ame Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|---|-----------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 17.87 | | | | | 01/21/2017(1) | 01/21/2021 | Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock | 6,666 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 22.91 | | | | | 01/19/2018(2) | 01/19/2022 | Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 16.82 (3) | | | | | 03/19/2016 | 03/19/2020 | Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock | 6,666 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 23.75 | | | | | 01/18/2019(4) | 01/18/2023 | Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock | 10,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Harp Donald A Jr 3490 PIEDMONT ROAD SUITE 1550 ATLANTA, GA 30305 | X | | | | | |

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Brittany Caylor, Attorney in Fact for Donald A.
Harp Jr.
05/07/2018

**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 1/21/2017; 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 3/19/16, 1/3 on 3/19/17, 1/3 on 3/19/18
- (4) Exercisable: 1/3 on 1/18/2019, 1/3 on 1/18/2020, 1/3 on 1/18/2021

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