

JAMES DONALD M

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
JAMES DONALD M

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
SOUTHERN CO [SO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
30 IVAN ALLEN JR BLVD, NW
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
10/01/2018

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

ATLANTA, GA 30308

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
01/02/2019

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)			
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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

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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	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	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative Security			Code	V	Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
					(A)	(D)				
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	10/01/2018	A		810.5604 (1)		(2)	(2)	Southern Company Common Stock	810.5604

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JAMES DONALD M 30 IVAN ALLEN JR BLVD, NW ATLANTA, GA 30308			X	

Signatures

Marcia R. DeMar, Attorney-in-Fact for Donald M.
James

01/02/2019

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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- (1) Acquired pursuant to Southern's Deferred Compensation Plan, payable in stock only upon termination. There is no exercise or expiration date. Amendment filed to correct the total number of deferred stock units beneficially owned under the Deferred Compensation Plan on October 1, 2018. The price of the derivative security was based on the closing price as of September 28, 2018 rather than October 1, 2018. The correction results in an increase to the total number of deferred stock units beneficially owned.
- (2) Acquired pursuant to Southern's Deferred Compensation Plan, payable in stock only upon termination. There is no exercise or expiration date.
- (3) Includes dividends accrued on March 6, June 6, September 6 and December 6, 2018.

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