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FORM 4

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

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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 * White Alan B

> (First) (Middle)

2323 VICTORY AVENUE, SUITE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Hilltop Holdings Inc. [HTH]

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

03/05/2018

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

below)

_X__ Director

X_ Officer (give title

0.5

10% Owner

Other (specify

Co-Chief Executive Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting DALLAS, TX 75219 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (D) or Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price 14,096 Common 03/05/2018 A A \$0 228,987 D Stock (1) By Maedgen Common 1,316,458 (2) I & White. Stock Ltd. Common $10,238 \frac{(2)}{(3)}$ I By Wife Stock Common By Double E 23,806 (2) I Stock Investments Common $12,883 \frac{(2)}{}$ Ι By EAW White Stock

Family Partnership,

Ltd.

Common Stock

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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 Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ioiNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	ate	7. Tit Amou Under Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Renorting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships

White Alan B		Co-Chief
2323 VICTORY AVENUE, SUITE 1400	X	Executive
DALLAS, TX 75219		Officer

Director

10% Owner

Officer

Other

Signatures

/s/ ALAN B. 03/07/2018 WHITE

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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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).
 - Represents restricted stock units granted to the reporting person. Such restricted stock units will vest, and an equal number of shares of common stock will be deliverable to the reporting person, upon the third anniversary of the date of grant, March 5, 2021, or immediately
- (1) upon the earlier occurrence of events specified in the reporting person's restricted stock unit award agreement, including a "change in control" of Hilltop Holdings Inc. The shares of common stock deliverable upon conversion of such restricted stock units will be subject to restrictions on transfer until the first anniversary of the vesting date of the restricted stock units, March 5, 2022, or an earlier "change in control" of Hilltop Holdings Inc.
- The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. The reporting (2) person states that neither the filing of this statement nor anything herein shall be deemed an admission that the reporting person is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise, the beneficial owner of these shares.
- (3) Includes 453 shares of common stock held in an individual retirement account.

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