Lankford William C Jr Form 4 October 10, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP [LION]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

Stock

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

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

3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, STE 1550 10/06/2017

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

ATLANTA, GA 30305

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative Se	curitie	s Acquired	l, Disposed of, or	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie owr Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	d of (L))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Fidelity Southern			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Corporation - Common Stock	10/06/2017		A <u>(1)</u>	42.7487	A	\$ 23.334	6,621.6129	D	
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common							2,500	I	By spouse

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)

Der	Title of ivative urity str. 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. onNumber 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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
_	tion ght to	\$ 17.87					01/21/2017(2)	01/21/2021	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	6,666
_	tion ght to	\$ 16.82 (3)					03/19/2016	03/19/2020	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	6,666

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
F 8	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.

10/10/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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).
- (1) Shares awarded for service as a Director during the previous month.
- (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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