#### SMITH RANKIN M JR

Form 4

January 24, 2018

# 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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

SMITH RAN	_	ting Person _	2. Issuer N Symbol FIDELIT [LION]	Vame <b>and</b> T		C	S. Relationship of F Issuer (Check	all applicable		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify			
3490 PIEDM0 1550	ONT ROAD	), SUITE	01/19/201	17			below)	below)		
	(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			
ATLANTA, O	GA 30305						Person	ore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		any	Deemed cution Date, if nth/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	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)	
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Fidelity Southern Corporation -Common Stock

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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 orDerivative 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sl
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.91	01/19/2017		A	10,000	01/19/2018(1)	01/19/2022	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	10,
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.75	01/18/2018		A	10,000	01/18/2019(2)	01/18/2023	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	10,
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.87					01/21/2017(3)	01/21/2021	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	6,6
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.82 (4)					03/19/2016	03/19/2020	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	3,3

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SMITH RANKIN M JR

3490 PIEDMONT ROAD
SUITE 1550

ATLANTA, GA 30305

### **Signatures**

Brittany Caylor, Attorney in Fact for Rankin M.
Smith Jr.
01/24/2018

\*\*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 1/19/2018, 1/3 on 1/19/2019, 1/3 on 1/19/2020
- (2) Exercisable 1/3 on 1/18/2019, 1/3 on 1/18/2020, 1/3 on 1/18/2021
- (3) Exercisable: 1/3 on 1/21/2017; 1/3 on 1/21/2018; 1/3 on 1/21/2019
- (4) Exercisable: 1/3 on 3/19/16, 1/3 on 3/19/17, 1/3 on 3/19/18

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