SOUTHSIDE BANCSHARES INC

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Form 5

February 05, 2015

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Symbol

[SBSI]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SOUTHSIDE BANCSHARES INC

Transactions Reported

HARTLEY BG

(Last)	(First)	(Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2014				_	_X Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) Chairman Emeritus				
1201022	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6.	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)				
TYLER, TX 75701 _X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person											
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	(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, any (Month/Day/Ye	Code		(A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/13/2014	Â	J	217.0755	A	\$ <u>(1)</u>	33,722.8315	I	by Spouse / Sep Property		
Common Stock	06/05/2014	Â	J	264.6413	A	\$ <u>(1)</u>	33,987.4728	I	by Spouse / Sep Property		
Common Stock	09/04/2014	Â	J	236.024	A	\$ (1)	34,223.4968	I	by Spouse /		

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

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									Sep Property						
Common Stock	12/04/2014	Â	J	347.6673	A	\$ <u>(1)</u>	34,571.1641	I	by Spouse / Sep Property						
Common Stock	05/09/2014	Â	J	0.037	A	\$ (2)	6,003.837	I	by ESOP for Spouse						
Common Stock	05/09/2014	Â	J	44.389	A	\$ <u>(2)</u>	6,048.226	I	by ESOP for Spouse						
Common Stock	06/11/2014	Â	J	0.043	A	\$ (2)	6,048.269	I	by ESOP for Spouse						
Common Stock	06/11/2014	Â	J	46.527	A	\$ (2)	6,094.796	I	by ESOP for Spouse						
Common Stock	09/15/2014	Â	J	41.645	A	\$ (2)	6,136.441	I	by ESOP for Spouse						
Common Stock	09/15/2014	Â	J	0.089	A	\$ (2)	6,136.53	I	by ESOP for Spouse						
Common Stock	12/12/2014	Â	J	0.043	A	\$ <u>(3)</u>	6,136.573	I	by ESOP for Spouse						
Common Stock	12/12/2014	Â	J	63.297	A	\$ (3)	6,199.87	I	by ESOP for Spouse						
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	129,981	D	Â						
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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)	of Derivative Securities Acquired	(Month/Day/Year) e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	of D Se B
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Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

(A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date or Number

of Shares (I

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HARTLEY BG 1201 S BECKHAM AVE TYLER, TXÂ 75701

X Â Â Chairman Emeritus

Signatures

B.G. Hartley 02/05/2015

**Signature of Person

Date

Reporting Person

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) Dividend Reinvestment Program "DRP"
- (2) Amount includes allocation of shares received in connection with reinvestment of quarterly cash dividend. And allocation of fractional shares that have occurred since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.
- (3) Amount includes allocation of shares received in connection with reinvestment of quarterly cash dividend.

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