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1(b).

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CINCINNATI, OH 45263

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Akins Nicholas K Issuer Symbol FIFTH THIRD BANCORP [FITB] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 38 FOUNTAIN SQUARE PLAZA 04/17/2018 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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Person

(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 nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	04/17/2018		Δ	4 040	Δ (2)	25 529 (3)	D	

04/1//2018 Stock (1)

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable	e and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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								of		
								Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other Akins Nicholas K 38 FOUNTAIN SQUARE PLAZA X CINCINNATI, OH 45263

Signatures

H. Samuel Lind, as Attorney-in-Fact for Nicholas K. 04/19/2018 Akins

> **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).
- Restricted stock units granted pursuant to Fifth Third Bancorp Incentive Compensation Plan subject to vesting upon cessation of **(1)** the reporting person's service on the Board of Directors of the Issuer.
- **(2)** Granted pursuant to Fifth Third Bancorp Incentive Compensation Plan. No consideration paid.
- **(3)** Includes shares acquired pursuant to dividend reinvestments since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.

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