

MAKRIS GEORGE JR

Form 4

January 17, 2019

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MAKRIS GEORGE JR

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL  
CORP [SFNC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL  
CORP., 501 MAIN STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/16/2019

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)  
Chairman & CEO

(Street)  
PINE BLUFF, AR 71601

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |        |            |          | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price    |                                                                                               |                                                          |                                   |
| SFNC                            | 01/16/2019                           |                                                    | A                              |                                                                   | 25,136 | A          | \$ 26.27 | 148,580                                                                                       | D                                                        |                                   |
| SFNC                            | 01/16/2019                           |                                                    | F                              |                                                                   | 11,807 | D          | \$ 26.27 | 136,773                                                                                       | D                                                        |                                   |
| SFNC                            |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   |        |            |          | 210,766                                                                                       | D                                                        |                                   |
| SFNC                            |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   |        |            |          | 1,016                                                                                         | D                                                        |                                   |
| SFNC                            |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   |        |            |          | 2,669 <sup>(1)</sup>                                                                          | D                                                        |                                   |
| SFNC                            |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   |        |            |          | 3,742                                                                                         | I                                                        | By Trust                          |
| SFNC                            |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   |        |            |          | 8,100                                                                                         | I                                                        | By IRA                            |

SFNC

9,500

I

By IRA  
(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)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Transaction<br>(Instr. 6) |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V (A) (D)                                                                                                          | Date<br>Exercisable                                            | Expiration<br>Date                                                        | Title                                               | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                                                                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                              | Relationships |           |                   |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
|                                                                                             | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |
| MAKRIS GEORGE JR<br>SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP.<br>501 MAIN STREET<br>PINE BLUFF, AR 71601 | X             |           | Chairman<br>& CEO |       |

## Signatures

/s/ George Makris, Jr. by Piper P.  
Erwin

01/17/2019

\*\*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) Total share amount increased by 873 shares due to company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

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