Frost G. Janelle Form 4 March 04, 2019

FORM 4

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

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Form 4 or

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

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Frost G. Janelle

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

2301 HIGHWAY 190 WEST

DERIDDER, LA 70634

Common

stock, par

value \$0.01

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

AMERISAFE INC [AMSF] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2019

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

President & CEO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ 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

Code V Amount

| 1.Title of Security | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| (Instr. 3) | | any (Month/Day/Year) | | |

03/04/2019

Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

\$ 1,691 S D 61.5 D 57,912 (1) (2)

Price

(A)

or

(D)

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | | | ate | 7. Title Amoun Under | nt of lying ities | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| | Derivative Security | | | | Securities Acquired | | | (Instr. | 3 and 4) | | Owne Follo |
| | | | | | (A) or Disposed | | | | | | Repo Trans |
| | | | | | of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | | | | (Instr |
| | | | | | 4, and 3) | | | | Amount | | |
| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | or Number of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|--|--|
| r | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Frost G. Janelle | | | | | | |
| 2301 HIGHWAY 190 WEST | X | | President & CEO | | | |
| DERIDDER, LA 70634 | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ G. Janelle
Frost

**Signature of Reporting Person

O3/04/2019

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) The shares were sold pursuant to the Reporting Person's 10b5-1 plan to pay required withholding taxes associated with shares of restricted stock that fully vested March 1, 2019.
 - Represents the weighted average selling price of the Issuer's common stock. The range of sales prices were between \$61.12 and \$61.69.
- (2) The Reporting Person undertakes, upon request, to provide the SEC, the Issuer and any security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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