

POPWELL DAVID T
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
POPWELL DAVID T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST HORIZON NATIONAL CORP [FHN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
165 MADISON AVENUE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/14/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP-Regional Bkg & Bkg COO

MEMPHIS, TN 38103
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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		
Common Stock	02/14/2012		A		9,304 (1)	A	\$ 0 161,809 D
Common Stock	02/14/2012		A		13,953 (2)	A	\$ 0 175,762 D
Common Stock							1,461 I 401(k)

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 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	5. Number of Derivative 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.46	02/14/2012		A	68,498	02/14/2013 ⁽³⁾ 02/14/2019	Common Stock	68,498

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
POPWELL DAVID T 165 MADISON AVENUE MEMPHIS, TN 38103			EVP-Regional Bkg & Bkg COO	

Signatures

/s/ John A. Niemoeller,
attorney-in-fact
Date: 02/16/2012

__Signature of 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) Performance stock units granted 02/26/10. On 02/14/12 the Compensation Committee determined that certain performance goals in part had been achieved. The units reported represent 50% of the amount granted based on performance of applicable goals through 12/31/11 and generally will vest 50% in 2013 and 50% in 2014. The remaining units will not vest unless performance in 2012 and 2013 exceed performance to date.
- (2) Grant of restricted stock as part of 2011 bonus program; shares generally will vest one-third each year beginning 02/14/13
- (3) Options vest 25% each year, beginning 02/14/13

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