SOUTHSIDE BANCSHARES INC

Form 4/A July 27, 2011

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

		Symbol SOUTHSIDE BANCSHARES INC [SBSI]					Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		f Earliest T	ransaction			Director _X_ Officer (give		Owner or (specify	
1201 S. BECKHAM AVE			(Month/Day/Year) 06/09/2011					below) below) EVP & Treasurer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Moi	nth/Day/Year 011	r)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by 0	One Reporting Pe	rson	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	ecurity (Month/Day/Year) Execution D		n Date, if	ate, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Year) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	06/09/2011			A	1,811	A	\$0	6,565	D		
Common Stock	05/11/2011			J	227	A	\$ 0 (2)	4,754	D		
Common Stock	01/03/2011			I	122.46	A	\$ 19.26 (3)	122.46	I	By ESOP	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	SA. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	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)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
Employee				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares
Employee Stock Option right to	\$ 19.19	06/09/2011		A	5,920	06/09/2012(1)	06/09/2021	Common Stock	5,920

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Coogan Michael L

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1201 S. BECKHAM AVE TYLER, TX 75701 **EVP & Treasurer**

Signatures

Micheal L. 07/26/2011 Coogan

**Signature of 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) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on June 9, 2012.
- (2) 5% Stock Dividend
- (3) ESOP allocation for plan year ending 12-31-2010

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