

SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORP  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**CROW BARRY L**

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 CORPORATION, 501 MAIN STREET**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**07/13/2005**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER**

(Street)  
**PINE BLUFF, AR 71611**

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)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
				Code	V	Amount				
SFNC	07/13/2005		M		1,200	A	\$ 12.83	22,593	D	
SFNC	07/13/2005		F		541	D	\$ 28.43	22,052	D	
SFNC	07/13/2005		M		400	A	\$ 12.22	22,452	D	
SFNC	07/13/2005		F		171	D	\$ 28.43	22,281	D	
SFNC	07/13/2005		M		400	A		22,681	D	

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					\$			
					12.22			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	171	D	\$	22,510	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	400	A	\$	22,910	D	
					12.22			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	171	D	\$	22,739	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	400	A	\$	23,139	D	
					12.22			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	171	D	\$	22,968	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	400	A	\$	23,368	D	
					10.56			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	148	D	\$	23,220	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	400	A	\$	23,620	D	
					10.56			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	148	D	\$	23,472	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	400	A	\$	23,872	D	
					10.56			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	148	D	\$	23,724	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	400	A	\$	24,124	D	
					10.56			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	148	D	\$	23,976	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	3,600	A	\$	27,576	D	
					12.13			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	1,535	D	\$	26,041	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	3,600	A	\$	29,641	D	
					12.13			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	1,535	D	\$	28,106	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	3,600	A	\$	31,706	D	
					12.13			
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	1,535	D	\$	30,171	D	
					28.43			
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	3,600	A		33,771	D	

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						\$		
						12.13		
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	1,535	D	\$	28.43	32,236	D
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	3,600	A	\$	12.13	35,836	D
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	1,535	D	\$	28.43	34,301	D
SFNC	07/13/2005	M	600	A	\$	23.78	34,901	D
SFNC	07/13/2005	F	501	D	\$	28.43	34,400	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)

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 (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)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.83	11/26/1996	07/13/2005	M	1,200	11/26/2000 11/25/2005	Common	1,200
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.22	12/28/1999	07/13/2005	M	400	12/28/2000 12/27/2005	Common	400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.22	12/28/1999	07/13/2005	M	400	12/28/2001 12/27/2006	Common	400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.22	12/28/1999	07/13/2005	M	400	12/28/2002 12/27/2007	Common	400

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Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.22	12/28/1999	07/13/2005	M	400	12/28/2003	12/27/2008	Common	400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 10.56	07/28/2000	07/13/2005	M	400	07/28/2001	07/27/2006	Common	400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 10.56	07/28/2000	07/13/2005	M	400	07/28/2002	07/27/2007	Common	400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 10.56	07/28/2000	07/13/2005	M	400	07/28/2003	07/27/2008	Common	400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 10.56	07/28/2000	07/13/2005	M	400	07/28/2004	07/27/2009	Common	400
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.13	05/07/2001	07/13/2005	M	3,600	05/07/2001	05/06/2011	Common	3,600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.13	05/07/2001	07/13/2005	M	3,600	05/07/2002	05/06/2011	Common	3,600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.13	05/07/2001	07/13/2005	M	3,600	05/07/2003	05/06/2011	Common	3,600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.13	05/07/2001	07/13/2005	M	3,600	05/07/2004	05/06/2011	Common	3,600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.13	05/07/2001	07/13/2005	M	3,600	05/07/2005	05/06/2011	Common	3,600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 23.78	07/26/2004	07/13/2005	M	600	07/26/2004	07/25/2014	Common	600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 23.78	07/26/2004		X	0	07/26/2005	07/25/2014	Common	600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 23.78	07/26/2004		X	0	07/26/2006	07/25/2014	Common	600
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 23.78	07/26/2004		X	0	07/26/2007	07/25/2014	Common	600
Incentive Stock	\$ 23.78	07/26/2004		X	0	07/26/2008	07/25/2014	Common	600

Option

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CROW BARRY L SIMMONS FIRST NATIONAL CORPORATION 501 MAIN STREET PINE BLUFF, AR 71611			CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	

## Signatures

/s/ Barry L. Crow by Piper P.  
Erwin

07/15/2005

\_\_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).

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