

SHEPHERD W CLYDE III
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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 *
 SHEPHERD W CLYDE III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP
 [LION]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, SUITE 1550
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/08/2017

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

ATLANTA, GA 30305

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	12/08/2017		A ⁽¹⁾		136.3285	A	\$ 21.9965
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	12/08/2017		P		181.7902	A	\$ 21.9965
							2,078
							I

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Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock							By Child - Wm Clyde S Shepherd
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock					39,998	I	By Family Foundation
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock					5,784	I	By Family Partnership

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.56					01/23/2015 ⁽²⁾	01/23/2019	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	6,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.87					01/21/2017 ⁽³⁾	01/21/2021	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	10,000

