FIRST MIDWEST BANCORP INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCUDDER MICHAEL L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST MIDWEST BANCORP INC [FMBI]				······································	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) ONE PIER	(First)	(Middle) ITE 1500		Day/Year)				_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed			4. Securit	ed of		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/22/2014			Code V F	19,188 (1)	D	\$ 15.9125	273,122	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2014			F	10,940 (2)	D	\$ 15.9125	262,182	D	
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Common Stock								9,070	I	By NQ Stock

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By Profit

Common
Stock

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By Profit
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Trust

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title an Amount o		
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
.r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SCUDDER MICHAEL L								
ONE PIERCE PLACE	X		President & CEO					
SUITE 1500	21		Tresident & CEO					

Signatures

ITASCA, IL 60143

Andrea L. Stangl, Attorney-in-fact for Michael L. Scudder 02/25/2014

**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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- On February 22, 2012 the Issuer granted the Reporting Person a restricted stock award of 81,902 restricted shares of First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. common stock under the First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan which were scheduled to vest in two
- (1) equal annual installments on the second and third anniversary of the date of grant. On February 22, 2014, 40,952 shares of the originally granted restricted stock award vested, of which 19,188 shares were withheld in order to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligations.
 - On February 23, 2011 the Issuer granted the Reporting Person a restricted stock award of 46,603 restricted shares of First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. Common stock under the First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan which were scheduled to vest in two
- (2) equal annual installments on the second and third anniversary of the date of grant. On February 23, 2014, the remaining 23,301 shares of the originally granted restricted stock award vested, of which 10,940 shares were withheld in order to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligations.

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