

Casteel Marty
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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 *
Casteel Marty

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 CORP, 501 MAIN STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/28/2011

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

PINE BLUFF, AR 71603

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

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code V	Amount		
SFNC	02/28/2011		A	(1)	\$ 28.4	15,334	D
SFNC						7,997	D
SFNC						965	D
SFNC						3,974	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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 12.13	05/07/2001		X	0	05/07/2005 05/07/2011	Common 2,000
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 23.78	07/26/2004		X	0	12/31/2005 07/26/2014	Common 2,000
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 24.5	05/23/2005		X	0	12/31/2005 05/24/2015	Common 920
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2007 05/20/2016	Common 200
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2008 05/20/2016	Common 200
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2009 05/20/2016	Common 200
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2010 05/20/2016	Common 200
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 26.19	05/22/2006		X	0	05/22/2011 05/20/2016	Common 200
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007		X	0	05/31/2008 05/31/2017	Common 240
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007		X	0	05/31/2009 05/31/2017	Common 240
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007		X	0	05/31/2010 05/31/2017	Common 240
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 28.42	05/31/2007		X	0	05/31/2011 05/31/2017	Common 240
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