THOMAS J MIKESELL

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Castle Creek Capital Partners V, LP 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

GUARANTY FEDERAL BANCSHARES INC [GFED]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

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

08/14/2017

Director Officer (give title below)

X 10% Owner Other (specify

C/O CASTLE CREEK CAPITAL LLC, 6051 EL TORDO, PO BOX 1329

Security

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Code

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

RANCHO SANTA FE, CA 92067

(City) (State) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(A)

(D)

Following Reported (I) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Guaranty Federal

Bancshares,

Inc. Common Stock

08/14/2017

(Month/Day/Year)

P

Code V Amount

24,782 A

Price

918,804

 $D^{(1)}$

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title and Amount of		
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(World Day Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 ar	g Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or	mount mber ares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting owner name, names	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Castle Creek Capital Partners V, LP C/O CASTLE CREEK CAPITAL LLC 6051 EL TORDO, PO BOX 1329 RANCHO SANTA FE, CA 92067		X					
Castle Creek Capital V LLC C/O CASTLE CREEK CAPITAL LLC 6051 EL TORDO, PO BOX 1329 RANCHO SANTA FE, CA 92067		X					
EGGEMEYER JOHN M III C/O CASTLE CREEK CAPITAL LLC 6051 EL TORDO, PO BOX 1329 RANCHO SANTA FE, CA 92067		X					
THOMAS J MIKESELL C/O CASTLE CREEK CAPITAL LLC 6051 EL TORDO, PO BOX 1329 RANCHO SANTA FE, CA 92067		X					
MERLO MARK G C/O CASTLE CREEK CAPITAL LLC 6051 EL TORDO, PO BOX 1329 RANCHO SANTA FE, CA 92067		X					
Pietrzak John C/O CASTLE CREEK CAPITAL LLC		X					

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6051 EL TORDO, PO BOX 1329 RANCHO SANTA FE, CA 92067

Signatures

08/15/2017
Date
08/15/2017
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).

These securities are held directly by Castle Creek Capital Partners V, LP ("Fund V"). Mr. Eggemeyer, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Merlo, and Mr. Pietrzak are managing principals of Castle Creek Capital V LLC, the sole general partner of Fund V. Castle Creek Capital V LLC, Mr.

Eggemeyer, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Merlo, and Mr. Pietrzak each disclaim beneficial ownership of such shares of Common Stock, except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Castle Creek Capital V LLC, Mr. Eggemeyer, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Merlo, or Mr. Pietrzak is the beneficial owner of such shares of Common Stock for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

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