

Choate William Millard
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
Choate William Millard			FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP [LION]		(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	
			12/31/2012		<input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)	
3490 PIEDMONT ROAD #1550			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting		
(Street)					(check applicable line)		
ATLANTA, GA 30305					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					Person

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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) Amount or (D) Price			
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	12/31/2012	GA	J	3,857 ⁽¹⁾	A \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	32,763.0041 I	By Family Partnership
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	12/31/2012	GA	J	8,843.798 ⁽¹⁾	A \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	156,086.4113 D	GA

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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)
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.15	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Date Exercisable: 01/19/2013 ⁽²⁾ Expiration Date: 01/19/2017	Title: Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock Amount or Number of Shares: 10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Choate William Millard 3490 PIEDMONT ROAD #1550 ATLANTA, GA 30305	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

Barbara McNeill, Attorney in Fact, Wm. Millard Choate
Date: 02/05/2013

__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).
- (1) Stock dividend shares paid during the reporting year.
- (2) Exercisable: 1/3 on 1/19/13; 1/3 on 1/19/14; 1/3 on 1/19/15

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