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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 *
McRae Eric S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST MID ILLINOIS
BANCSHARES INC [FMBH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
266 COBB AVENUE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/08/2010

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

DECATUR, IL 62522

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/08/2010		P	V 0.019 A \$ 17.4	1,666.215	I	By 401K
Common Stock	03/08/2010		P	V 88.575 A \$ 16.6	1,754.79	I	By 401K
Common Stock	03/30/2010		P	V 0.369 A \$ 16.75	1,755.159	I	By 401K
Common Stock	05/17/2010		P	V 49.228 A \$ 16.55	1,804.387	I	By 401K
Common Stock	04/08/2010		J ⁽¹⁾	V 78.717 A \$ 17.15	172.581	I	By IRA

