Southern National Bancorp of Virginia Inc

securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Form 5

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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)				7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 9.09	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/31/2005	04/14/2015	Common Stock	16,500
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 9.2	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	01/23/2009(1)	01/22/2018	Common Stock	1,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting o more runte, requires	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STEVENS WILLIAM H 4607 A MCARTHUR BLVD. NW WASHINGTON, DC 20007	Â	Â	Executive Vice President	Â			

Signatures

William H.
Stevens

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) These shares are exercisable as follows: 300 shares on 1/23/2009 300 shares on 1/23/2010 300 shares on 1/23/2011 300 shares on 1/23/2012 300 shares on 1/23/2013

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