

COMMERCE BANCSHARES INC /MO/

Form 4

May 31, 2013

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KIM CHARLES G

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

**COMMERCE BANCSHARES INC
/MO/ [CBSH]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

8000 FORSYTH BLVD.

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/29/2013

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Exec. Vice Pres. and CFO

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

CLAYTON, MO 63105

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/29/2013		M		22,158	A	\$ 31.9197
Common Stock	05/29/2013		S		22,158	D	\$ 43.5339 (1)
Common Stock							19,255
							I
							401k

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 Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.9197	05/29/2013		M	22,158	01/28/2005 ⁽²⁾ 01/28/2015	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
KIM CHARLES G 8000 FORSYTH BLVD. CLAYTON, MO 63105	Exec. Vice Pres. and CFO

Signatures

By: Jeffery D. Aberdeen For: Charles
G. Kim 05/31/2013

__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) Sales prices ranged from \$43.50 to \$43.61.

(2) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on January 28, 2005.

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