PITTMAN DONALD S

Form 4

March 21, 2011

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

OMB Washington, D.C. 20549

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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

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

PITTMAN DONALD S

(State)

(Last) (First)

227 SYLVAN DRIVE

(Street)

ENTERPRISE, AL 36330

(City)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

NATIONAL SECURITY GROUP **INC [NSEC]**

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

02/28/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Securities

Issuer

below)

Person

5. Amount of

X Director

Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

or

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Code

1. Title of Derivative

Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

Transactionof

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year) Derivative

7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

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

(I)

(Instr. 4)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

Indirect

Estimated average

burden hours per

3235-0287

January 31,

2005

0.5

8. Price Derivativ Security

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 12.25	02/28/2011		J	V	18		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Phantom Stock Units	18	\$ 12.2
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 12.25	03/17/2011		J		763		(2)	(3)	Phantom Stock Units	763	\$ 12.2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
PITTMAN DONALD S 227 SYLVAN DRIVE ENTERPRISE, AL 36330	X						

Signatures

Brian R. McLeod, Attorney-in-fact 03/21/2011

**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) The phantom stock units were awarded under the nonqualified deferred compensation plan in which directors could elect to defer their directors' fees by receiving phantom stock units payable in cash upon separation from service from the board. These shares were acquired during the fiscal year pursuant to the dividend reinvestment component of the nonqualified deferred compensation plan which was frozen 12/31/2004.
- The phantom stock units were awarded under the nonqualified deferred compensation plan in which directors could elect to defer their directors' fees by receiving phantom stock units payable in cash upon separation from service from the board. The plan was frozen on 12/31/2004. These shares were disposed of and distributed in cash.
- (3) Upon separation from service from the Board, phantom stock units will be settled in cash at the then current market price of common stock.

Remarks:

Pertains to phantom stock plan in which election to defer fees is not a reportable event under Section 16, however acquisitions Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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