SYNOVUS FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

AKINS D WAYNE JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

SYNOVUS FINANCIAL CORP

[SNV]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/12/2014

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

X_ Officer (give title below) below)

P.O. BOX 120

(City)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

EVP & Chief Comm Banking Offic 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

(Instr. 4)

Person

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

COLUMBUS, GA 31902

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported 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.

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

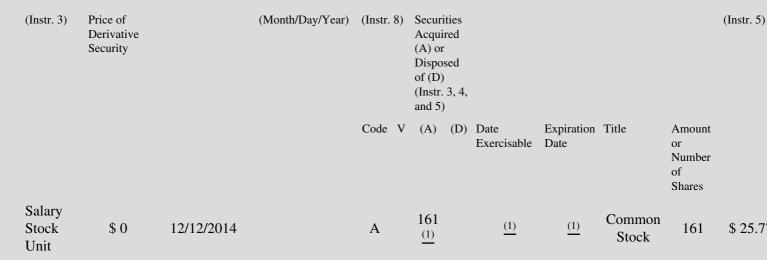
1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionof Security or Exercise Code any

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

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price of **Underlying Securities** Derivativ (Instr. 3 and 4) Security

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

AKINS D WAYNE JR P.O. BOX 120 COLUMBUS, GA 31902

EVP & Chief Comm Banking Offic

Signatures

/s/ Mary Maurice Young 12/15/2014

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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).
 - Salary stock units ("SSUs") are restricted stock units issued bi-weekly as a portion of the reporting person's salary compensation, net of withholdings and deductions, and are issued under the Synovus Financial Corp. 2013 Omnibus Plan. An SSU represents the right to
- (1) receive a cash payment equal to the future value of a share of Synovus common stock. For more information, please see the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Synovus on January 24, 2014, as amended on February 5, 2014. SSUs are fully vested on the date of grant and will settle in cash on January 15, 2015.

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