BANK OF THE OZARKS INC

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **HOLMAN E M JR** Issuer Symbol BANK OF THE OZARKS INC (Check all applicable) [OZRK] (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 17901 CHENAL PARKWAY, P.O. 10/20/2014 President Mortgage Division **BOX 8811** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting LITTLE ROCK, AR 72231-8811

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

| • | | Tabl | e I - Noll-D | erivative | Secui | rues Ac | quirea, Disposea | oi, or beliefic | any Owned |
|---|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|--------|--------------|------------------|-----------------|---|
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Securi | ties A | cquired | 5. Amount of | 6. | 7. Nature of |
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction(A) or Disposed of | | | Securities | Ownership | Indirect | |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | (D) | | Beneficially | Form: Direct | Beneficial | |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Owned | (D) or | Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | Following | Indirect (I) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | (A) | | Reported | (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | or | | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 10/20/2014 | | F | 1,958 | D | \$ 32.5 | 20,320 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 1,276 | I | Shares held in 401(k) at 10/20/2014 |

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, | | ate | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr | |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code V | 4, and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOLMAN E M JR 17901 CHENAL PARKWAY, P.O. BOX 8811 LITTLE ROCK, AR 72231-8811

President Mortgage Division

Signatures

/s/ E. M. Holman, Jr.

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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