SOUTHSIDE BANCSHARES INC

Form 4

November 26, 2012

FORM 4

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

OMB Number: 3235-0287

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

EDMONSON ROBBIE N			Symbol SOUTHSIDE BANCSHARES INC [SBSI]					Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) below)		
1201 S BECKHAM AVE			11/26/2012					Vice COB		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
TYLER, TX	X 75701							Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Perivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	on(A) or D	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/26/2012			S	5,411	D	\$ 21	65,429	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012			S	400	D	\$ 21.01	65,029	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012			S	100	D	\$ 21.02	64,929	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012			S	4,875	D	\$ 21.05	60,054	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012			S	600	D	\$ 21.06	59,454	D	

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Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	300	D	\$ 21.07	59,154	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	100	D	\$ 21.09	59,054	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	700	D	\$ 21.11	58,354	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	201	D	\$ 21.12	58,153	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	100	D	\$ 21.13	58,053	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	100	D	\$ 21.14	57,953	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	300	D	\$ 21.15	57,653	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	98	D	\$ 21.25	57,555	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	102	D	\$ 21.21	57,453	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	500	D	\$ 21.22	56,953	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	223	D	\$ 21.3	56,730	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	806	D	\$ 21.4	55,924	D	
Common Stock	11/26/2012	S	101	D	\$ 21.41	55,823	D	
Common Stock						17,803.64	I	by ESOP

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	re	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	S	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired				Follo
					(A) or				Repo

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

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date or

Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
EDMONSON ROBBIE N 1201 S BECKHAM AVE TYLER, TX 75701	X			Vice COB				

Signatures

Robbie N Edmonson 11/26/2012

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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