ZIONS BANCORPORATION /UT/

Form 4 July 03, 2012

FORM 4

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

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

SIMMONS L E

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ZIONS BANCORPORATION /UT/ [ZION]

600 TRAVIS STE 6600

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

(First)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/02/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities

Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X Director 10% Owner

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Person

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

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership Owned (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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 Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security or Exercise any

5. Number of TransactionDerivative Securities Code

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

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Da	ay/Year) (Instr. 8)	Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)			(1	
			Code V	(A)	(D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Comp	<u>(1)</u>	07/02/2012	A	749.222	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	749.222	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SIMMONS L E						
600 TRAVIS STE 6600	X					
HOUSTON, TX 77002						

Signatures

/s/Thomas E. Laursen as attorney 07/03/2012 in fact Date

**Signature of Reporting 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).
- (1) Each unit is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock.
- (2) The phantom stock units are settled in cash upon the earlier of death or retirement.
- (3) Includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment.

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