BANK OF THE OZARKS INC

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading GLEASON GEORGE G II Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

BANK OF THE OZARKS INC [OZRK]

X Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

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

05/16/2016

X_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

17901 CHENAL PARKWAY, P.O. **BOX 8811**

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

Chairman & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

LITTLE ROCK, AR 72231-8811

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|---|--|----------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock Common | 05/16/2016 | | Code V A | Amount 955 | | Price \$ 0 (1) | (Instr. 3 and 4) 163,176 | I | Shares held by Spouse |
| Stock | | | | | | | 1,041,961 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 4,800 | Ι | Shares held in Trust for Adult Child |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 2,571,200 | I | Shares held in Gleason Trust |
| | | | | | | | 1,946,060 | I | |

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Common Shares held in Stock 401(k) at 05/16/2016

> Shares held by Trust of which Mr. Gleason,

Common Stock

his wife and descendants

are

beneficiaries.

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

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8. Price of

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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 7. Title and 4. 5. 6. Date Exercisable and Execution Date, if Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) TransactionNumber **Expiration Date** Amount of (Month/Day/Year) Security or Exercise Code Underlying of (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Securities Derivative Derivative Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) Security Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

> Amount or

Expiration Date Title Number Exercisable Date of

Shares

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Code V (A) (D)

GLEASON GEORGE G II 17901 CHENAL PARKWAY P.O. BOX 8811

X Chairman & CEO

LITTLE ROCK, AR 72231-8811

Signatures

/s/ George G

05/16/2016 Gleason

Date

Reporting Owners 2 **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) Represents annual grant of common stock pursuant to the Bank of the Ozarks, Inc. Non-Employee Director Stock Plan.

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