Lumpkin Benjamin I. Form 4

June 29, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Form 5 obligations

may continue. See Instruction

SECURITIES Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

Lumpkin Benjamin I.

CHICAGO, IL 60601

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC [FMBH]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 340 E. RANDOLPH ST, UNIT 5403 06/28/2012

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Middle)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(City) (State) (Zip) 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

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

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Code (Month/Day/Year)

3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

(A)

or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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 Derivative 2. 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Conversion Transactionof or Exercise (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code any Derivative

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	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Series C 8% Non-Cumulative perpetual convertible	<u>(1)</u>	06/28/2012		P		500		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	<u>(1)</u>

Reporting Owners

Relationships							
Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
X							
		Director 10% Owner	Director 10% Owner Officer				

Signatures

preferred

Michael L. Taylor, pursuant to a power of attorney filed 01/29/09.

06/29/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- Each share of Series C Convertible Preferred Stock (i) is convertible at any time into 246.427 shares of common stock and cash in lieu of any fractional share of common stock, subject to certain adjustments, (ii) is convertible at First Mid-Illinois Bancshares' option under certain circumstances, (iii) has no expiration date.

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