

FIRST INTERSTATE BANCSYSTEM INC
 Form 4
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Huston Michael G.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 FIRST INTERSTATE
 BANCSYSTEM INC [FIBK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 PO BOX 30918
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 11/23/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Ex. VP & Chief Banking Officer

BILLINGS, MT 59116

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | |
| Class A Common Stock | 11/23/2012 | | M | A | 2,800 | \$ 0 | 8,019 D |
| Class A Common Stock | 11/23/2012 | | M | D | 2,800 | \$ 14.5179 ⁽¹⁾ | 5,219 D |
| Class A Common Stock | | | | | | | 14,698 I By Trust |
| Class A Common | | | | | | | 4,972 I By 401(k) Plan |

Stock

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title |
| Stock Options | \$ 11.25 | 11/23/2012 | | M | 2,800 | 01/29/2003 01/29/2013 | Class B Common Stock |
| Class B Common Stock ⁽²⁾ | \$ 0 | | | | | 03/05/2010 ⁽²⁾ 12/31/2029 ⁽²⁾ | Class A Common Stock |
| Class B Common Stock ⁽²⁾ | \$ 0 | 11/23/2012 | | M | 2,800 | 03/05/2010 ⁽²⁾ 12/31/2029 ⁽²⁾ | Class A Common Stock |
| Clas B Common Stock ⁽²⁾ | \$ 0 | 11/23/2012 | | M | 2,800 | 03/05/2010 ⁽²⁾ 12/31/2029 | Class A Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Huston Michael G. PO BOX 30918 BILLINGS, MT 59116 | | | Ex. VP & Chief Banking Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ TERRILL R. MOORE, Attorney-in-Fact for Reporting Person 11/26/2012

__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).

(1) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$14.36 to \$14.68. The reporting person undertakes to provide to First Interstate BancSystem, Inc., any security holder of First Interstate BancSystem, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon, request, the full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth above.

(2) On March 5, 2010, the Company recapitalized its existing common stock. The recapitalization included, among other things, a redesignation of existing common stock as Class B common stock and the creation of a new class of common stock designated as Class A common stock, which is listed on the NASDAQ stock market under the symbol "FIBK". The Class B common stock is convertible at any time into Class A common stock on a share for share basis at the discretion of the holder. The conversion feature of the Class B common stock does not expire.

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