#### **BUCHANAN DAVID**

Form 5

January 25, 2011

#### **OMB APPROVAL** FORM 5 **OMB** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION 3235-0362 Number: Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if January 31, Expires: no longer subject 2005 to Section 16. Estimated average ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL Form 4 or Form burden hours per 5 obligations OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES response... 1.0 may continue. See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 Form 4 Transactions Reported 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer **BUCHANAN DAVID** Symbol FIDELITY SOUTHERN CORP (Check all applicable) [LION] (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title \_\_X\_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 12/31/2010 Vice President / Executive Officer 3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, #1550 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) ATLANTA, GAÂ 30305 \_X\_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficial ership r. 4)

(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned at end	Form: Direct (D)	Owner	
					Amount	(A) or nount (D)		of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr.
	Fidelity Southern Corporation 12/3 - Common Stock	31/2010	Â	J	854 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 0 (1)	60,162.0851	D	Â
	Fidelity Southern Corporation 12/3 - Common Stock	31/2010	Â	J	4,123.2066 ( <u>2)</u>	A	\$ 0 (2)	64,285.2917	D	Â

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.			Persons who contained in the form dis	nless	SEC 2270 (9-02)				
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	12/31/2010	Â	J	60 (1)	A	\$ 0 (1)	3,135	I	Ira/401(k) Rollover Account
Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	12/31/2010	Â	J	3,650 (4)	A	\$ 0 (4)	16,882	I	By 401(k)

# 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)			6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0 (6)	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(5)	(5)	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	40,0
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(8)	12/16/2006	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0 (6) (7)	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(5)	12/16/2006	Fidelity Southern Corporation - Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option	\$ 18.7	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	02/01/2008(9)	02/01/2011	Fidelity Southern	15,0

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### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BUCHANAN DAVID

3490 PIEDMONT ROAD, #1550 Â Â Â Vice President Executive Officer

ATLANTA. GAÂ 30305

## **Signatures**

Barbara McNeill, Attorney in Fact for David Buchanan

01/25/2011

\*\*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) Stock dividend shares paid during the reporting year.
- (2) Purchased at various times and prices in Fidelity Southern Corporation ESPP during the reporting year.
- (3) Purchased 196 shares at various times and prices during 2004 in the Fidelity Southern Corporation 401(k) Plan
- (4) Purchased at various times and prices in Fidelity Southern Corporation 401(k) during the reporting year
- (5) Depends on variable vesting schedule
- (6) Granted 30,000 shares on 12/16/1999 @ \$7.0625 Granted 10,000 shares on 4/24/2002 @ 10.75
- (7) Multiple prices
- (8) Variable vesting dates
- (9) Exercisable: 1/3 on 02/01/08; 1/3 on 02/01/09; 1/3 on 02/01/10
- (10) Exercisable: 1/3 on 7/22/09; 1/3 on 7/22/10; 1/3 on 7/22/11

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