FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANG	ES IN BENEFI	CIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Stewart Jon D (Last) (First) (Middle) 100 WEST UNIVERSITY AVENUE					3. D	Solution of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) A. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Check X	all app Direct Office below	licable) tor er (give title v)	below) `		wner (specify
(Street) CHAMPA (City)			51820 Zip)			4. II Amendment, Date of Original Fried (World Day) Tear)								ine) X	•					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transa Date (Month/I	Day/Year) i		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Secur Benef		cially I Following	6. Own Form: (D) or (I) (Ins	Direct ndirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(1	A) or D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)
Common Stock 0				07/29	9/2016				А		26(1)		Α	\$	30		3,415		D	
Common Stock																9,505		I	Jon and Kendra Stewart	
	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)	Derivative Conversion Date Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		tr. 3	Deriv Secu	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	nership m: ect (D) Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents dividend equivalent rights accrued on Restricted Stock Units in conjunction with the payment of a cash dividend on First Busey Corporation Stock. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of First Busey Corporation Stock.

/s/ Mary Lakey, attorney-in-

fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

08/02/2016

Date

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

- * 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).

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