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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| | or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 | |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] SLOAN THOMAS G | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>FIRST BUSEY CORP /NV/</u> [BUSE] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 100 WEST UNIVERSITY AVENUE | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2014 | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) |
| (Street) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |
| CHAMPAIGN IL 61820 | | 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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transa Code (8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|--|---|---------------|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Code V | | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | -, |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2014 | | A | | 51 ⁽¹⁾ | Α | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 643,890 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 496 | I | Decatur Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 1,645 | Ι | Spouse |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Common Stock | \$19.74 | | | | | | | 02/18/2004 | 02/17/2014 | Stock Option | 7,750 | | 7,750 | D | |
| Common Stock | \$19.09 | | | | | | | 02/16/2005 | 02/15/2015 | Stock Option | 7,750 | | 7,750 | D | |
| Common Stock | \$19.41 | | | | | | | 02/22/2006 | 02/21/2016 | Stock Option | 7,750 | | 7,750 | D | |
| Common Stock | \$19.35 | | | | | | | 07/18/2007 | 07/17/2017 | Stock Option | 4,650 | | 4,650 | D | |

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 Common Stock. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of First Busey Corporation Stock.

Remarks:

/s/ Thomas G. Sloan

02/04/2014

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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