FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an King St		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST BUSEY CORP /NV/ [BUSE]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)										
Killg St	[5002]								X	Direc	ctor		10%	Owner							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 100 WEST UNIVERSITY AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/03/2017									Offic below	er (give titl w)	le	Othe below	r (specify v)		
(Street)							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
CHAMPAIGN IL 61820														X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate) (.	Zip)												F 613						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Execution		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)				Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Owners (1)		
						Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	•	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)					
Common	2017	017			A		26(1)	A	\$	0	57,520			D							
Common										7,000		I		Stephen V. King 2004 Declaration of Trust U/A 5/7/04							
		Та	ıble II -								osed of, convertib				Owned			,			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security						rative rities rired r osed)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) Comparison of the following security of the following security of the following security and 4)				t of ies /ing	De Se (In	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	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code		Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares								

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-

02/07/2017

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** Signature of Reporting Person

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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