Instruction 1(b).

## FORM 4

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Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Code (Instr.	4. Securities Acquired ( Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		e of Earliest Transa	ction (Month/I	Day/Year)		Officer (give title below)	Other below	(specify )		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Cassens Michael David				er Name <b>and</b> Ticke ST BUSEY C	0	·	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Is (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Ov					

	(MONIN/Day/rear)	(Month/Day/Year)	8)		3)				(I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(s)	
Common Stock	10/30/2020		Α		<b>64</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	188,148	D	

 
 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. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and of Expiration Date Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ate	Amount of		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				

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.

## <u>/s/ Mary Lakey, attorney-in-fact</u>

11/03/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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