

INVESTAR HOLDING CORP

Reported by **D'ANGELO JOHN J**

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Symbol ISTR

SIC Code 6022 - State Commercial Banks

Industry Banks

Sector Financials

Fiscal Year 12/31



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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
|---|---|-------------------|------------------------------------|---|--|------------------------------|-------------|------------|--|--------------------|---|--|---|---|--|--|--|
| D'Angelo John J | | | | | Investar Holding Corp [ISTR] | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | | 3. | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) | | | | | | | X Director | | | 10% Owner | | |
| | | | | | 8/11/2015 | | | | | | | " | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer | | | | |
| C/O INVESTAR HOLDING CORPORATION, 7244 PERKINS | | | | | | | 8/1 | 1/2 | 015 | | Cinci Execut | ive office | | | | | |
| CORPORA ROAD | 110N, 72 | 44 PEK | KINS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (Stre | et) | | 4. | If Ar | nendme | ent, Date C | Origi | nal File | d (MM/D | D/YYY | Y) 6. Individual | or Joint/G | roup Filing | (Check App | icable Line) | |
| BATON ROUGE, LA 70808 | | | | | | | | | | | | | _ X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (0 | City) (Sta | te) (Z | ip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Table | I - Non-De | rivat | ive Sec | urities Ac | quii | red, Dis | posed o | f, or I | Beneficially Own | ed | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | 2. Trans. Date | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | | 3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8) | | or Dispo | ities Acqui osed of (D) , 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securi Following Reported (Instr. 3 and 4) | ities Beneficially Owned Transaction(s) | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) | Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock | | | | 8/11/2015 | | | I | | 389 | A | \$15.97 | | 794 | | I | 401(k) | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2074 | | I | Minor children | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 43440 | | D | | |
| | Tabl | le II - Der | rivative | Securities | Bene | eficially | Owned (| e.g. | , puts, | calls, wa | arran | ts, options, conve | rtible sec | curities) | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 3. Trans. Date | 3A. Dee Execution Date, if a | on (Instr. 8 | Acquir Dispos | | | | Date Exercisable and piration Date | | Securit Deriva | e and Amount of ies Underlying tive Security 3 and 4) | Jnderlying Derivative Security Security | | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | Security | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Dat Exe | e ercisable | Expiration Date | | Amount or Number of Shares | | Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Shares are held in a tax-qualified plan.

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| D'Angelo John J C/O INVESTAR HOLDING CORPORATION 7244 PERKINS ROAD BATON ROUGE, LA 70808 | X | | Chief Executive Officer | • | | | |

Signatures

/s/John J. D'Angelo

**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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