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[] Form 3 Holdings Reported
[] Form 4 Transactions Reported

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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# ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person +	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Middleton Suzanne O	Investar Holding Corp [ISTR]					
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (MM/DD/YYYY)	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
C/O INVESTAR HOLDING	12/31/2020					
CORPORATION, 10500 COURSEY						
BLVD.						
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(MM/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)				
BATON ROUGE, LA 70816 (City) (State) (Zip)		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

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)	or Disposed of (D)		1	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form:	Beneficial
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
COMMON STOCK	1/31/2020		L	59	Α	\$22.69	28706	D	
COMMON STOCK	4/30/2020		L	95	Α	\$13.97	28801	D	
COMMON STOCK	4/30/2020		L	3	Α	\$13.77	28804	D	
COMMON STOCK	7/31/2020		L	98	Α	\$13.63	28902	D	
COMMON STOCK	7/31/2020		L	3	Α	\$14	28905	D	
COMMON STOCK	10/21/2020		L	102	Α	\$14.30	29007	D	
COMMON STOCK	11/2/2020		L	4	Α	\$14.17	29011	D	

## 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 Derivate	2. Conversion	3. Trans.	3A. Deemed	4. Trans.	5. Number of	of	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	e and Amount of	8. Price of	9. Number	10.	11. Nature
Security	or Exercise	Date	Execution	Code	Derivative S	Securities	Expiration I	Date	Secur	ities Underlying	Derivative	of	Ownership	of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	Price of		Date, if any	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A	A) or	(MM/DD/Y	YYY)	Deriva	ative Security	Security	Derivative	Form of	Beneficial
	Derivative				Disposed of	f (D)			(Instr.	3 and 4)	(Instr. 5)	Securities	Derivative	Ownership
	Security				(Instr. 3, 4 a	ind 5)						Beneficially	Security:	(Instr. 4)
												Owned at	Direct (D)	
												End of	or Indirect	
							Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Issuer's	(I)	
							Exercisable	Date		Shares		Fiscal Year	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)	(D)						(Instr. 4)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director 10% Owner Officer Ot			Other			
Middleton Suzanne O							
C/O INVESTAR HOLDING CORPORATION	v						
10500 COURSEY BLVD.	л						
BATON ROUGE, LA 70816							

## Signatures

/s/Suzanne O. Middleton	<b>2</b> /1
**Signature of Reporting Person	

12/2021 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).

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