

**Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership of Securities**  
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Issuer Name	Ticker or Trading Symbol	Date of Earliest Transaction Required to be Reported	If Amendment, Date of Original Filing
Bank of the Ozarks	OZRK	2018-05-07 00:00:00.0	

**Filer Information**

Name of Reporting Person	Street Address	City	State	ZIP Code	Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer
George G Gleason	17901 Chenal Parkway	Little Rock	AR	72223	Director Officer <b>Description:</b> Chairman and CEO

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

Title of Security	Transaction Date	Deemed Execution Date	Transaction Code	Y	Amount of Securities Acquired or Disposed of	Price of Securities Acquired or Disposed of	Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions	Ownership Form	Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock	2018-05-07 00:00:00.0	null			1,054 Shares (A)		158686 Shares	Indirect	Shares held by spouse
Common Stock	null	null					1007344 Shares	Direct	
Common Stock	null	null					4800 Shares	Indirect	Shares held in trust for adult child
Common Stock	null	null					2571200 Shares	Indirect	Shares held in Gleason Trust
Common Stock	null	null					180124 Shares	Indirect	Shares held in George Gleason II Trust
Common Stock	null	null					2019972 Shares	Indirect	Shares held in 401K at 05/07/2018

**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

Title of Derivative Security	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Transaction Date	Deemed Execution Date	Transaction Code	Y	Number of Derivative Securities Acquired or Disposed of	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title of Underlying Securities	Amount of Underlying Securities	Price of Derivative Security	Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions	Ownership Form of Derivative Securities	Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
There are no Derivative Securities														

**Explanation of Responses**

These shares were issued under the Bank's Non-Employee Director Stock Plan in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d) and are subject to a substantial risk of forfeiture until vested. These shares will vest 100% on the earliest to occur of (i) 5/7/2019 or (ii) the day immediately prior to the date of the Bank's first annual meeting of shareholders following the grant date.

\* Signed by: \_\_\_\_\_ /s/ George G. Gleason Date: 2018-05-07 00:00:00.0

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**Exhibit Information**

There is no Power of Attorney information

There is no Other information