

FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC

Form 4

November 17, 2014

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
LeFebvre Charles Allen

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
FIRST MID ILLINOIS  
BANCSHARES INC [FMBH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
689 N CO RD 1600E  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/17/2014

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
EVP-Wealth Management

SADORIS, IL 61872

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock                       | 11/17/2014                              |                                                             | C <sup>(1)</sup>                        | 1,156 A \$ 0                                                               | 1,156                                                                                                              | I                                                                          | By IRA                                                         |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                         |                                                                            | 1,010                                                                                                              | D                                                                          |                                                                |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                         |                                                                            | 4,898.473                                                                                                          | I                                                                          | By Deferred<br>Compensation<br>Plan                            |

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3)                       | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |     | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                    |                 |                                  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                        |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                                                                  | (A)                                                            | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                                                 | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares |
| Series B 9%<br>Non-cumulative<br>Perpetual<br>Convertible<br>Preferred | (2)                                                                | 11/17/2014                              |                                                             | C(1)                                 |                                                                                                                    | 5                                                              |     | (2)                                                                 | (2)                | Common<br>Stock | 1,156.335                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                   | Relationships                    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                  | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| LeFebvre Charles Allen<br>689 N CO RD 1600E<br>SADORIS, IL 61872 | EVP-Wealth Management            |

## Signatures

/s/ Michael L Taylor, attorney-in-fact for Mr.  
LeFebvre 11/17/2014

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

(1) On November 17, 2014 the Company caused the conversion of the Series B 9% Non-cumulative Perpetual Convertible Preferred stock. Each share was converted into 231.267 shares of common stock, cash in lieu of fractional shares.

(2) Each share of the Series B Convertible Preferred stock (i) is convertible at any time into 231.267 shares of common stock and cash in lieu of any fractional share of common stock, subject to certain adjustments, (ii) is convertible at First Mid-Illinois Bancshares' option under certain circumstances, and (iii) has no expiration date.

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