Hilltop Holdings Inc. Form 4 October 21, 2015

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Taylor Robert JR			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Hilltop Holdings Inc. [HTH]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 200 CRESC: 1330	(First) ENT COURT,	(Middle) SUITE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/20/2015				X Director Officer (give below)	10%	Owner r (specify		
DALLAS, T	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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Secur	ities Acqı	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit rn(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D) 5) Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	10/20/2015			A	324 (1)	A	\$ 20.04 (2)	32,255	D		

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)

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				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address $\frac{\text{Relationships}}{\text{Director}} = \frac{10\% \text{ Owner}}{10\% \text{ Owner}} = \frac{\text{Officer}}{\text{Other}}$ Taylor Robert JR

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Signatures

/s/ Robert Taylor, Jr. 10/21/2015

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Shares acquired pursuant to Hilltop Holdings Inc.'s 2012 Equity Incentive Plan as compensation for services rendered as a director in the third calendar quarter of 2015.
- (2) Price per share calculated using average closing price per share for the period from September 17, 2015 to September 30, 2015.

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