

French Tracy
Form 4
April 22, 2013

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
French Tracy

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
HOME BANCSHARES INC
[HOMB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
P.O. BOX 966
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/18/2013

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Centennial Bank Regional Pres.

CONWAY, AR 72033

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock - Restricted					5,667 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ <u>(4)</u> <u>(6)</u>		D
Common Stock - Performance Based					2,000 ⁽⁵⁾		D
Common Stock					6,790.679	I	By IRA
Common Stock					16,910.425 <u>(3)</u>		D

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Common
Stock8,445.664 (1) I

By 401(k)

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 38.15	04/18/2013		A		10,000		04/18/2014	04/17/2023	Common Stock	10,000
Performance Stock Option	\$ 11.09							01/01/2010	03/13/2016	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Option	\$ 34.5							01/18/2014	01/17/2023	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
French Tracy P.O. BOX 966 CONWAY, AR 72033			Centennial Bank Regional Pres.	

Signatures

/s/ Tracy French by Rachel Wesson

04/22/2013

 **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) Includes 31,371 shares acquired through the Home BancShares, Inc. 401(k) Plan since the last filing.

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- (2) Restricted Stock granted on February 2, 2011 will vest in 33 1/3% installments over three years each February 2nd.
- (3) The reporting person had 1,668 shares vest since the last filing
- (4) Restricted Stock granted on August 2, 2012 will "cliff" vest 100% three years from award date.

The Performance Stock awarded on August 2, 2012 will "cliff" vest on the third annual anniversary of the date that the performance goal is met. The performance goal will be met as of the end of the calendar quarter when the Company has averaged \$0.625 diluted earnings per share for four consecutive quarters or \$2.50 total diluted earnings per share over a period of four consecutive quarters.

- (6) Restricted Stock granted on January 18, 2013 will "cliff" vest 100% three years from award date.

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