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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Simard Curtis C Issuer Symbol **BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES** (Check all applicable) [BHB] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below)

C/O BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES, P.O. BOX 400, 82

MAIN STREET

(City)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

08/03/2018

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

President/CEO

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BAR HARBOR, ME 04609

(State)

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| (City) | (State) | 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities oner Dispose (Instr. 3, 4 | d of (Ľ | 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 | 08/03/2018 | | M | 1,862 | A | \$ 28.63 (1) | 27,157.101 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/03/2018 | | F | 642 (2) | D | \$ 28.63 | 26,515.101 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/03/2018 | | P | 139.533 (3) | A | \$ 0 | 26,654.634 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/03/2018 | | P | 126.301 (3) | A | \$0 | 674.851 | I | By 401(k) Plan |

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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|--|---|---|--|----------------|--|-----------------|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | An or Nu of Sh |
| Restricted Stock Units (RSUs)- Acquisition | \$ 28.63 (1) | 08/03/2018 | | M | 1,862 | 08/03/2018(4) | 08/03/2020(4) | Common Stock | 1 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Simard Curtis C | | | | | | |
| C/O BAR HARBOR BANKSHARES | X | | | | | |
| P.O. BOX 400, 82 MAIN STREET | Λ | | President/CEO | | | |
| BAR HARBOR, ME 04609 | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ David S. Cohen, as Attorney-in-Fact 08/06/2018

**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) Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) convert into the issuers common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) These shares were withheld to satisfy the executive's tax liability associated with the vesting of restricted stock units. This was not an open market sale of securities.

(3) These shares were acquired through the executive's participation in dividend reinvestment programs.

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On August 3,2017, the reporting person was granted 5,585 RSUs, vesting in three equal annual installments on the anniversary of the date (4) of the grant, beginning in August 2018. At the time of vesting, sufficient shares may be withheld to cover the executive's tax liabilities. All shares delivered at each vesting are subject to an additional three year holding period.

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