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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Zagoreos Alexander E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ABERDEEN EMERGING
 MARKETS SMALLER Co
 OPPORTUNITIES FUND, INC.
 [ABE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1735 MARKET STREET, 32ND FLOOR

(Street)

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

04/27/2018

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

(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 Ownership: Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 04/27/2018 | | J ⁽¹⁾ | | 7,022.4654 | D | 0 |

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Zagoreos Alexander E 1735 MARKET STREET 32ND FLOOR PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103 | X | | | |

Signatures

Lucia Sitar as attorney-in-fact 05/01/2018

__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) Effective as of April 27, 2018, the Aberdeen Emerging Markets Smaller Company Opportunities Fund, Inc. (the "Target Fund") was reorganized into the Aberdeen Emerging Markets Equity Income Fund, Inc., formerly, Aberdeen Chile Fund, Inc. (the "Acquiring Fund," and such reorganization, the "Reorganization"). Common shareholders of the Target Fund received common shares of the Acquiring Fund having a value equal to the aggregate NAV of the Target Fund common shares surrendered as determined at the close of business on April 27, 2018, less the costs of the Reorganization (although cash was distributed for any fractional shares). As of April 27, 2018, the Target Fund reported a NAV per share of \$15.6741 and the Acquiring Fund reported a NAV per share of \$9.6662. The conversion ratio for the Target Fund's common shares was 1.6215. The Reporting Person received 11,386.00 common shares of the Acquiring Fund in exchange for his 7,022.4654 common shares of the Target Fund.

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