

HINKLE GARY L  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 HINKLE GARY L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 SUMMIT FINANCIAL GROUP INC [SMMF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/30/2009

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

PO BOX 65

(Street)

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

CIRCLEVILLE, WV 26804

(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 (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					225,785	D	
Common Stock					500	I	As Cust for Grandchild
Common Stock					54,945	I	By Hinkle Trucking
Common Stock					4,800	I	by Spouse

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 a Underlyi (Instr. 3 a
Phantom Stock	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/30/2009		P	886.07 <sup>(4)</sup>	<sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	Comm Stock
8% Non-Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock Series 2009	\$ 5.5					03/01/2009 <sup>(3)</sup> 06/01/2019 <sup>(3)</sup>	Comm Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HINKLE GARY L PO BOX 65 CIRCLEVILLE, WV 26804	X			

## Signatures

Teresa D. Ely, Lmted POA  
Attorney-In-Fact

12/31/2009

\_\_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) Each share of phantom stock represents the economic equivalent of one share of Summit common stock.
- (2) Shares of phantom stock are payable only in cash following termination of the reporting person's service as a director of Summit.
- (3) The 2009 Series Preferred Stock may be converted at the holder's option on any dividend payment date.
- (4) Acquired 797.46 shares of phantom stock through the Company's Director Deferral Plan. Acquired 88.61 shares of phantom stock through Summit Community Bank's Director Deferral Plan.

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