DIXIE GROUP INC

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common Stock, \$3

par value Class B Common

Stock, \$3 par value

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Frierson Dan	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DIXIE GROUP INC [DXYN]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (M	iddle) 3. Date of	Earliest Tra	ansaction	(Check an applicable)			
PO BOX 20	O BOX 2007 (Month/Day 05/30/201				_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP-Chief Operating Officer			
(Street)		4. If Amer	4. If Amendment, Date Original		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
DALTON, GA 30722		Filed(Mon	Filed(Month/Day/Year)		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 Securities Ac	equired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Code V Amount (D)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Reported

6,020

172,211

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

D

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(A)

Price

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5					11/04/2011	11/04/2019	Common Stock, \$3 par value	22,0
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.59	05/30/2017		A	25,000	05/30/2019(1)	05/30/2022	Common Stock, \$3 par value	25,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Plante, Plantess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Frierson Daniel K Jr. PO BOX 2007 DALTON, GA 30722	X		VP-Chief Operating Officer			

Signatures

/s/ John F. Henry, Jr., by Power of Attorney for Daniel K.
Frierson, Jr.

**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).
- The terms of the options, as set by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company, provide that the options must (1) meet a performance target of \$7.00 per share for a period of five consecutive trading days, following an initial two year term, to vest and become exercisable.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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