RILEY HAROLD E

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

Inc. Class

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

RILEY HAROLD E			Symbol CITIZENS INC [CIA]					(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 400 EAST ANDERSON LANE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/04/2012					(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman & CEO		
AUSTIN,		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	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed of, o	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	. 8)	4. Securitie on(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	osed o	of (D)	5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownersh Beneficially Owned Form: Following Reported Direct (I Transaction(s) or Indire (Instr. 3 and 4) (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Citizens, Inc. Class A Common Stock	04/04/2012		L <u>(1)</u>	V	26.4861	A	\$ 9.41	2,336,670.7355	D	
Citizens, Inc. Class A Common Stock	04/27/2012		L <u>(1)</u>	V	25.8116	A	\$ 9.65	2,336,696.5471	D	
Citizens,	06/01/2012		<u>L(1)</u>	V	30.3939	A	\$	2,336,726.941	D	

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A Common Stock								
Citizens, Inc. Class A Common Stock	06/19/2012	G(2)	325,000	D	\$ 9.66	2,011,726.941	D	
Citizens, Inc. Class A Common Stock						465,723	I	Spouse
Citizens, Inc. Class B Common Stock						1,001,714	I	Revocable Trust
Reminder: R	eport on a separate line for each class of se	ecurities ber				indirectly.	ion of	SEC 1474

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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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	8	ate	Secur	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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RILEY HAROLD E
400 EAST ANDERSON LANE X Chairman & CEO
AUSTIN, TX 78752

Signatures

/s/Harold E. 06/21/2012 Riley

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) These shares were purchased through the Citizens Stock Investment Plan as part of regular monthly payroll deduction.
- (2) Gift for Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary

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