JAMES ROBERT E.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Common

Stock

(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 JAMES ROBERT E. Issuer Symbol HomeTrust Bancshares, Inc. [HTBI] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify C/O HOMETRUST 02/11/2018 below) BANCSHARES, INC., 10 WOODFIN STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting ASHEVILLE, NC 28801 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) **Following** (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 6,825 D Stock

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 proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	of Derivative Expiration D Securities (Month/Day/ Acquired (A) or Disposed of		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 I S (
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number	
Stock Option	\$ 26	02/11/2018		Code V	(A) (D) 1,000	<u>(1)</u>	02/11/2028	Common Stock	of Shares 1,000	
Stock Option	\$ 24.95					(2)	02/11/2027	Common Stock	10,000	

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Reporting Owners

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

JAMES ROBERT E. C/O HOMETRUST BANCSHARES, INC. 10 WOODFIN STREET ASHEVILLE, NC 28801



Signatures

/s/ Dana L. Stonestreet, Attorney-in-Fact for Robert E.

James 02/13/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) Represents stock option granted under Issuer's 2013 Omnibus Incentive Plan with the following vesting schedule: 100% on February 11, 2019.
- (2) Represents stock option granted under Issuer's 2013 Omnibus Incentive Plan with the following vesting schedule: 20% increments on February 11, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.

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