#### COMMERCE BANCSHARES INC /MO/

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# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FOSTER SARA E	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	COMMERCE BANCSHARES INC /MO/ [CBSH]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
1000 WALNUT ST., 7TH FLOOR	06/08/2015	Executive Vice President		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
VANSAS CITY MO 64106	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
KANSAS CITY, MO 64106		Person		

#### KANSAS CITY, MO 64106

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (4 and 5 (A) or	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/08/2015		Code V M	Amount 13,957	(D)	Price \$ 33.4873	51,930	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2015		F	1,282	D	\$ 46.23	50,648	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2015		D	10,110	D	\$ 46.23	40,538	D	
Common Stock	06/09/2015		S	2,565	D	\$ 46.23	37,973	D	
Common Stock							12,524	I	401(k)

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 33.4873	06/08/2015		M		13,957	02/17/2007(1)	02/17/2016	Common Stock	13

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FOSTER SARA E 1000 WALNUT ST., 7TH FLOOR KANSAS CITY, MO 64106

**Executive Vice President** 

### **Signatures**

By: Jeffery D. Aberdeen For: Sara E. Foster 06/09/2015

\*\*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) The stock appreciation rights vest in four equal annual installments beginning on February 17, 2007.

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