FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Quist Adam George</u> | | | | <u>S</u> | Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SECURITY NATIONAL FINANCIAL CORP [SNFCA] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2023 | | | | | | (Ch | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) 1609 WEST PRESERVE COURT | | | 3. | | | | | | | | below) | Officer (give title below) Vice President/Gene | | Other (specify below) eral Counsel | | |
| (Street) BLUFFDALE UT 84065 | | | | 4. | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | Line | 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) | | | | | Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. | | | | | | | | | | to | |
| | | Tak | ole I - Non-Dei | rivativ | e Se | curitie | s Ac | quired, Di | isposed o | f, or Be | neficiall | y Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | | | Execution Date, | | Code (Instr. 5) | | ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and | 4 and Securities Fo (D) | | n: Direct r Indirect I str. 4) (| 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transact (Instr. 3 a | ion(s) | | (iiisti: 4) | |
| | | • | Table II - Deriv (e.g., | | | | | uired, Dis s, options, | | | | Owned | | | | |
| 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. Transa | 4. 5. Number of Code (Instr. Derivative | | ber ive ies ed ed nstr. | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$4.35 ⁽¹⁾ | 12/04/2015 | | A | | 4,543 | | 03/04/2016 | 12/04/2024 | Class A Common Stock | 4,543 | \$4.35 | 4,543 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$4.79 ⁽²⁾ | 12/02/2016 | | A | | 14,423 | | 03/02/2017 | 12/02/2026 | Class A Common Stock | 14,423 | \$4.79 | 18,966 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$3.62 ⁽³⁾ | 12/01/2017 | | A | | 20,604 | | 03/01/2018 | 12/01/2027 | Class A Common Stock | 20,604 | \$3.62 | 39,570 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$4.17 ⁽⁴⁾ | 11/30/2018 | | A | | 26,164 | | 02/28/2019 | 11/30/2028 | Class A Common Stock | 26,164 | \$4.17 | 65,734 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$4.34 ⁽⁵⁾ | 12/06/2019 | | A | | 43,607 | | 03/06/2020 | 12/06/2029 | Class A Common Stock | 43,607 | \$4.34 | 109,341 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$3.15 ⁽⁶⁾ | 03/27/2020 | | A | | 41,530 | | 06/27/2020 | 03/27/2030 | Class A Common Stock | 41,530 | \$3.15 | 150,871 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$7.78 ⁽⁷⁾ | 12/03/2021 | | A | | 66,150 | | 03/03/2022 | 12/03/2031 | Class C Common Stock | 66,150 | \$7.78 | 217,021 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$6.16 ⁽⁸⁾ | 12/02/2022 | | A | | 84,000 | | 03/02/2023 | 12/02/2032 | Class C Common Stock | 84,000 | \$6.16 | 301,021 | D | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$7.99 ⁽⁹⁾ | 12/01/2023 | | A | | 80,000 | | 03/01/2024 | 12/01/2033 | Class C Common Stock | 80,000 | \$7.99 | 381,021 | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This option was granted on December 4, 2015 as an option for 3,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$6.72 per share, but adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilution provisions of the 2013 Stock Option Plan to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 5, 2016, February 3, 2017, February 2, 2018, February 1, 2019, and February 7, 2020; and a 2 1/2% stock dividend paid on July 17, 2020; and a 5% stock dividend paid on July 16, 2021, July 08, 2022 and July 14, 2023.
- 2. This option was granted on December 2, 2016 as an option for 10,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$7.03 per share, but adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilution provisions of the 2013Stock Option Plan to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 3, 2017, February 2, 2018, February 1 2019, and February 7, 2020; a 2.5% stock dividend paid on July 17, 2020; and a 5% stock dividend paid on July 16, 2021, July 08, 2022 and July 14, 2023.
- 3. This option was granted on December 1, 2017 as an option to purchase either 15,000 shares of Class A Common Stock or 15,000 shares of Class C Common Stock at an exercise price of \$5.05 per share. This option reflects the reporting person's election to have an option for 15,000 shares of Class C Common Stock, but adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilution provisions of the 2013 Stock Option Plan to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 2, 2018, February 1 2019, and February 7, 2020; a 2 1/2% stock dividend paid on July 17, 2020; and a 5% stock dividend paid on July 16, 2021, July 08, 2022 and July 14, 2023.
- 4. This option was granted on November 30, 2018 as an option to purchase either 20,000 shares of Class A Common Stock or 20,000 shares of Class C Common Stock at an exercise price of \$5.52 per share. This option reflects the reporting person's election to have an option for 20,000 shares of Class C Common Stock, but adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilution provisions of the 2013 Stock Option Plan to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 1, 2019 and February 7, 2020; a 2 1/2% stock dividend paid on July 17, 2020; and a 5% stock dividend paid on July 16, 2021, July 08, 2022 and July 14, 2023.
- 5. This option was granted on December 6, 2019 as an option to purchase either 35,000 shares of Class A Common Stock or 35,000 shares of Class C Common Stock at an exercise price of \$5.46 per share. This option reflects the reporting person's election to have an option for 35,000 shares of Class C Common Stock, but adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilution provisions of the 2013 Stock Option Plan to reflect a 5% stock dividend paid on February 7, 2020; and a 2 1/2% stock dividend paid on July 17, 2020; and a 5% stock dividend paid on July 16, 2021, July 08, 2022 and July 14, 2023.
- 6. This option was granted on March 27, 2020 as an option to purchase either 35,000 shares of Class A Common Stock or 35,000 shares of Class C Common Stock at an exercise price of \$3.76 per share. This option reflects the reporting person's election to have an option for 35,000 shares of Class C Common Stock, but adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilution rights of the 2013 Stock Option Plan to reflect a 2 1/2% stock dividend paid on July 17, 2020; and a 5% stock dividend paid on July 16, 2021, July 08, 2022 and July 14, 2023.
- 7. This option was granted on December 3, 2021 as an option to purchase either 60,000 shares of Class A Common Stock or 60,000 shares of Class C Common Stock at an exercise price of \$8.62 per share. This option reflects the reporting person's election to have an option for 60,000 shares of Class C Common Stock, but adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilution rights of the 2013 Stock Option Plan to reflect a 5% stock dividend paid on July 08, 2022 and July 14, 2023.
- 8. This option was granted on December 02, 2022 as an option for either 80,000 shares of Class A Common Stock or 80,000 shares of Class C Common Stock at an exercise price of \$6.48 per share. This option reflects the reporting person's election to have an option for 80,000 shares of Class C Common Stock, but adjusted pursuant to the anti-dilution rights of the 2013 Stock Option Plan to reflect a 5% stock dividend paid on July 14, 2023
- 9. This option was granted on December 01, 2023 as an option for either 80,000 shares of Class A Common Stock or 80,000 shares of Class C Common Stock at an exercise price of \$7.99 per share. This option reflects the reporting person's election to have an option for 80,000 Class C Common Stock. The options vest in four equal quarterly installments, beginning on March 01, 2024.

<u>/s/ Adam Quist</u> <u>12/20/2023</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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