

Lumpkin Benjamin I.  
Form SC 13D/A  
July 06, 2012

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

SCHEDULE 13D  
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. 01 )\*

First Mid-Illinois Bancshares, Inc.

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(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$4.00 per share

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(Title of Class of Securities)

320866106

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(CUSIP Number)

Benjamin I. Lumpkin, c/o SKL Investment Group 121 S. 17th Street Mattoon, Illinois 61938 Phone :  
217-235-4410

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(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

June 28, 2012

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(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

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I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

Lumpkin Benjamin I.

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CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP

(a)

(b)

SEC USE ONLY

3

SOURCE OF FUNDS

4

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5

CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(e) or 2(f)

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CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States of America

7

SOLE VOTING POWER

443,320 Shares

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SHARED VOTING POWER

0 Shares

9

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

443,320 Shares

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SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0 Shares

11

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

443,320 Shares

12

CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

7.2%

14

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

Item 1. Security and Issuer

This statement relates to the common stock, par value \$4.00 per share (the "Common Stock"), of First Mid-Illinois Bancshares, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), whose principal executive offices are located at 1421 Charleston Avenue, Mattoon, Illinois 61938.

Item 2. Identity and Background

- (a) This statement is being filed by Benjamin I. Lumpkin individually and as more particularly described in Item 5 below.
- (b) Mr. Lumpkin's business address is SKL Investment Group, LLC, 121 South 17th Street, Mattoon, IL 61938.
- (c) Mr. Lumpkin's principal occupation is an investor.
- (d) During the last five years, Mr. Lumpkin has not been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors).
- (e) During the last five years, Mr. Lumpkin has not been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction resulting in a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.
- (f) Mr. Lumpkin is a citizen of the United States of America.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

Mr. Lumpkin is reporting beneficial ownership of (i) 285,416 shares of Common Stock held individually (ii) 34,690 shares obtainable through the conversion of 150 shares of Series B 9% Non-Cumulative Perpetual Convertible Preferred Stock of the Company (the "Series B Preferred Stock") held individually and (iii) 123,214 shares obtainable through the conversion of 500 shares of Series C 8% Non-Cumulative Perpetual Convertible Preferred Stock of the Company (the "Series C Preferred Stock") that have been acquired by Mr. Lumpkin individually. No borrowed funds were used to acquire any of the above listed stock.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

Purchases of shares of Common Stock by Mr. Lumpkin have been for investment purposes. Mr. Lumpkin may purchase additional shares from time to time depending upon price, market conditions, availability of funds, evaluation of other investment opportunities, and other factors. Although Mr. Lumpkin has no present intention to sell any shares, he could determine from time to time, based upon the same factors listed above for purchases, to sell some or all of the shares held by him.

Except as set forth above, Mr. Lumpkin does not have any plan or proposal which relates to any of the following matters:

- (a) The acquisition by any person of additional securities of the issuer, or the disposition of securities of the issuer.
- (b)

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An extraordinary corporate transaction, such as a merger, reorganization or liquidation, involving the issuer or any of its subsidiaries.

- (c) A sale or transfer of a material amount of assets of the issuer or of any of its subsidiaries.
- (d) Any change in the present board of directors or management of the issuer, including any plans or proposals to change the number or term of directors or to fill any existing vacancies on the board.
- (e) Any material change in the present capitalization or dividend policy of the issuer.
- (f) Any other material change in the issuer's business or corporate structure.
- (g) Changes in the issuer's charter, bylaws or instruments corresponding thereto or other actions which may impede the acquisition of control of the issuer by any person.
- (h) Causing a class of securities of the issuer to be delisted from a national securities exchange or to cease to be authorized to be quoted in an inter-dealer quotation system of a registered national securities association.
- (i) A class of equity securities of the issuer becoming eligible for termination of registration pursuant to Section 12 (g)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- (j) Any action similar to any of those enumerated above.

### Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

- (a) Mr. Lumpkin beneficially owns (i) 285,416 shares held individually (ii) 34,690 shares obtainable through the conversion of 150 shares of Series B Preferred Stock of the Company, held individually and (iii) 123,124 shares obtainable through the conversion of 500 shares of Series C Preferred Stock of the Company, held individually. Mr. Lumpkin's total beneficial ownership amounts to 443,320 shares of Common Stock, or 7.2% of the outstanding shares.
- (b) Mr. Lumpkin holds sole voting and investment power over the above shares of Common Stock.
- (c) During the past 60 days, Mr. Lumpkin has effected no transactions in the Common Stock other than the following:

Transaction Date	Shares or Unites Purchased (Sold)	Price Per Share or Unit
June 28, 2012	Purchased 500 shares of Series C Preferred Stock of the Company, which are convertible into 123,214 shares of Common Stock. The purchase was consummated in a private placement offering of the Company's Series C Preferred Stock.	The price per share of the Series C Preferred Stock was \$5,000.

- (d) Other than the entities described in sub-items (a) & (b) above, to the knowledge of Mr. Lumpkin, no other person has the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or proceeds from the sale of, the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Mr. Lumpkin.
- (e) Not Applicable.

### Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer

There are no contracts, arrangements, understandings or relationships (legal or otherwise) between Mr. Lumpkin and any person with respect to any securities of the issuer.

Item 7. Material to Be Filed as Exhibits

None.

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

July 06, 2012

By:

/s/ Benjamin I. Lumpkin  
Benjamin I. Lumpkin

The original statement shall be signed by each person on whose behalf the statement is filed or his authorized representative. If the statement is signed on behalf of a person by his authorized representative (other than an executive officer or general partner of the filing person), evidence of the representative's authority to sign on behalf of such person shall be filed with the statement: provided, however, that a power of attorney for this purpose which is already on file with the Commission may be incorporated by reference. The name and any title of each person who signs the statement shall be typed or printed beneath his signature.

Footnotes:

Attention: Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute Federal criminal violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)

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