AMERISAFE INC Form 4 January 06, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fontenot Teri G.

18933 EAST PINNACLE CIRCLE

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AMERISAFE INC [AMSF]

(First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2016

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

BATON ROUGE, LA 70634

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

(City)

376 (1) A stock, \$0.01 01/04/2016 Α \$0 376 D

par value

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)

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Security	Secu
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Fontenot Teri G.				
18933 EAST PINNACLE CIRCLE	X			
BATON ROUGE, LA 70634				

Signatures

/s/Kathryn H. Shirley attorney-in-fact for Teri G. 01/06/2016 Fontenot

**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) Subject to restrictions that will lapse at the time of the Issuer's 2016 annual meeting of shareholders.

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