DIXIE GROUP INC

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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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(City)

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FRIERSON PAUL K

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

DIXIE GROUP INC [DXYN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Check all applicable) X_ Director

10% Owner

141 BROW LAKE ROAD

(Month/Day/Year)

05/01/2012

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN, GA 30750

(State)

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

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1.Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price Code V Amount (D)

4. Securities

Common Stock, \$3

par value

05/01/2012

 $A^{(1)}$ 2,400 Α 48,801

D

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN, GA 30750

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FRIERSON PAUL K							
141 BROW LAKE ROAD	X						

Signatures

/s/ John F. Henry, Jr., by Power of Attorney for Paul K. Frierson 05/02/2012

**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) Award of Performance Units (each representing one share of Common Stock) under the Issuer's Director Stock Plan, a payment of one-half of non-employee director's annual retainer.
- (2) The closing market price of the Issuer's Common Stock on 4/30/2012 was \$3.88. For payments made in 2012, the portion of the non-employee director's annual retainer payable in Performance Units is subject to a \$5.00 minimum value per unit.

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