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

Notice of Exempt Offering of Securities

OMB APPROVAL

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1. Issuer's Identity

CIK (Filer ID Number)

Previous X None **Names**

Entity Type

Limited Partnership

Limited Liability Company

0001466026

ILLINOIS

Name of Issuer

Midland States Bancorp, Inc.

Jurisdiction of

Incorporation/Organization

General Partnership **Business Trust** Other (Specify)

X Corporation

Year of Incorporation/Organization

X Over Five Years Ago

Within Last Five Years (Specify Year)

Yet to Be Formed

2. Principal Place of Business and Contact Information

Name of Issuer

Midland States Bancorp, Inc.

Street Address 1

Street Address 2

1201 NETWORK CENTRE DRIVE

City

State/Province/Country

ZIP/PostalCode

Phone Number of Issuer

EFFINGHAM

ILLINOIS

62401

(217) 342-2141

3. Related Persons

Last Name

First Name

Street Address 2

Middle Name

Schultz

John

Street Address 1

1201 Network Centre Drive City

State/Province/Country

ZIP/PostalCode

Effingham

ILLINOIS

Leon

62401

M.

Relationship: Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

Holschbach **Street Address 1**

J.

1201 Network Centre Drive

City

State/Province/Country

Street Address 2

ZIP/PostalCode

Effingham

ILLINOIS

62401

Relationship: X Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

Last Name First Name Middle Name McDaniel Jerry L. **Street Address 1 Street Address 2** 1201 Network Centre Drive **State/Province/Country** ZIP/PostalCode City **ILLINOIS** Effingham 62401 **Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name** First Name Middle Name Miller Dwight A. **Street Address 1 Street Address 2** 1201 Network Centre Drive City State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode Effingham **ILLINOIS** 62401 **Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name First Name Middle Name** Ramos Richard T. **Street Address 2 Street Address 1** 1201 Network Centre Drive City State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode **ILLINOIS** Effingham 62401 **Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name First Name Middle Name** F. Schultz Robert **Street Address 1 Street Address 2** 1201 Network Centre Drive City **State/Province/Country** ZIP/PostalCode Effingham **ILLINOIS** 62401 **Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name** First Name Middle Name Shaw Thomas D. **Street Address 1 Street Address 2** 1201 Network Centre Drive ZIP/PostalCode City State/Province/Country Effingham **ILLINOIS** 62401 **Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name First Name** Middle Name Siemer Q. Anthony **Street Address 1** Street Address 2 1201 Network Centre Drive ZIP/PostalCode State/Province/Country City Effingham **ILLINOIS** 62401

Relationship: Executive Officer X Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name First Name Middle Name** Jeffrey C. Smith **Street Address 1** Street Address 2 1201 Network Centre Drive City ZIP/PostalCode State/Province/Country Effingham **ILLINOIS** 62401 **Relationship:** Executive Officer X Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name First Name** Middle Name G. Ludwig **Jeffrey Street Address 1 Street Address 2** 1201 Network Centre Drive ZIP/PostalCode City **State/Province/Country ILLINOIS** 62401 Effingham **Relationship:** X Executive Officer Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name First Name Middle Name** Tucker Douglas J. **Street Address 1** Street Address 2 1201 Network Centre Drive City State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode Effingham **ILLINOIS** 62401 Relationship: X Executive Officer Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name First Name** Middle Name Brunoehler **Jeffrey** A. **Street Address 1 Street Address 2** 1201 Network Centre Drive City **State/Province/Country** ZIP/PostalCode Effingham **ILLINOIS** 62401 Relationship: X Executive Officer Director Promoter Clarification of Response (if Necessary): **Last Name First Name** Middle Name **Jeffrey** S. Mefford **Street Address 1 Street Address 2** 1201 Network Centre Drive State/Province/Country ZIP/PostalCode City Effingham **ILLINOIS** 62401 Relationship: X Executive Officer Director Promoter

First Name

Sharon

Middle Name

A.

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

Last Name

Schaubert

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Street Address 2

1201 Network Centre Drive

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Effingham

Relationship: X Executive Officer Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

Schiffer

Laurence

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Relationship: Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

McDonnell

Jeffrey

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62401

Relationship: Executive Officer X Director Promoter

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

4. Industry Group

Agriculture

Banking & Financial Services

X Commercial Banking

Insurance

Investing

Investment Banking

Pooled Investment Fund

Is the issuer registered as

an investment company under

the Investment Company

Act of 1940?

Yes

No

Other Banking & Financial Services

Business Services

Energy

Coal Mining

Electric Utilities

Energy Conservation

Environmental Services

Oil & Gas

Other Energy

Health Care

Biotechnology

Health Insurance

Hospitals & Physicians

Pharmaceuticals

Other Health Care

Manufacturing

Real Estate

Commercial

Construction

REITS & Finance

Other Real Estate

Residential

Retailing

Restaurants

Technology

Computers

Telecommunications

Other Technology

Travel

Airlines & Airports

Lodging & Conventions

Tourism & Travel Services

Other Travel

Other

5. Issuer Size

Revenue Range	OR	Aggregate Net Asset Value Range
No Revenues		No Aggregate Net Asset Value
\$1 - \$1,000,000		\$1 - \$5,000,000
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000		\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000
\$5,000,001 - \$25,000,000		\$25,000,001 - \$50,000,000
\$25,000,001 - \$100,000,000		\$50,000,001 - \$100,000,000
Over \$100,000,000		Over \$100,000,000
X Decline to Disclose		Decline to Disclose
Not Applicable		Not Applicable
6. Federal Exemption(s) and Excl	usion(s) Claim	ed (select all that apply)

6.

	Investment Company	y Act Section 3(c)
Rule 504(b)(1) (not (i), (ii) or (iii))	Section 3(c)(1)	Section 3(c)(9)
Rule 504 (b)(1)(i) Rule 504 (b)(1)(ii)	Section 3(c)(2)	Section 3(c)(10)
Rule 504 (b)(1)(iii)	Section 3(c)(3)	Section 3(c)(11)
Rule 505	Section 3(c)(4)	Section 3(c)(12)
X Rule 506(b) Rule 506(c)	Section 3(c)(5)	Section 3(c)(13)
Securities Act Section 4(a)(5)	Section 3(c)(6)	Section 3(c)(14)
	Section $3(c)(7)$	

7. Type of Filing

X New Notice Date of First Sale 2014-12-31 First Sale Yet to Occur Amendment

8. Duration of Offering

Does the Issuer intend this offering to last more than one year? Yes X No

9. Type(s) of Securities Offered (select all that apply)

X Equity **Pooled Investment Fund Interests** Debt Tenant-in-Common Securities Option, Warrant or Other Right to Acquire Another Security Mineral Property Securities Security to be Acquired Upon Exercise of Option, Warrant or Other (describe) Other Right to Acquire Security

10. Business Combination Transaction

Is this offering being made in connection with a business combination transaction, such as X Yes No a merger, acquisition or exchange offer?

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

11. Minimum Investment

Minimum investment accepted from any outside investor \$0 USD

12. Sales Compensation

Recipient Recipient CRD Number X None (Associated) Broker or Dealer X None (Associated) Broker or Dealer CRD Number X None **Street Address 1 Street Address 2**

ZIP/Postal Code City State/Province/Country

State(s) of Solicitation (select all that apply) All States Foreign/non-US Check "All States" or check individual States

13. Offering and Sales Amounts

Total Offering Amount \$57,473,865 USD or Indefinite

Total Amount Sold \$45,473,865 USD

Total Remaining to be Sold \$12,000,000 USD or Indefinite

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

14. Investors

Select if securities in the offering have been or may be sold to persons who do not qualify as accredited investors, and enter the number of such non-accredited investors who already have invested in the offering. Regardless of whether securities in the offering have been or may be sold to persons who do not qualify as accredited investors, enter the total number of investors who already have invested in the offering:

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15. Sales Commissions & Finder's Fees Expenses

Provide separately the amounts of sales commissions and finders fees expenses, if any. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, provide an estimate and check the box next to the amount.

Sales Commissions \$0 USD Estimate Finders' Fees \$0 USD Estimate

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

16. Use of Proceeds

Provide the amount of the gross proceeds of the offering that has been or is proposed to be used for payments to any of the persons required to be named as executive officers, directors or promoters in response to Item 3 above. If the amount is unknown, provide an estimate and check the box next to the amount.

\$0 USD Estimate

Clarification of Response (if Necessary):

Signature and Submission

Please verify the information you have entered and review the Terms of Submission below before signing and clicking SUBMIT below to file this notice.

Terms of Submission

In submitting this notice, each issuer named above is:

- Notifying the SEC and/or each State in which this notice is filed of the offering of securities described and undertaking to furnish them, upon written request, in the accordance with applicable law, the information furnished to offerees.*
- Irrevocably appointing each of the Secretary of the SEC and, the Securities Administrator or other legally designated officer of the State in which the issuer maintains its principal place of business and any State in which this notice is filed, as its agents for service of process, and agreeing that these persons may accept service on its behalf, of any notice, process or pleading, and further agreeing that such service may be made by registered or certified mail, in any Federal or state action, administrative proceeding, or arbitration brought against the issuer in any place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, if the action, proceeding or arbitration (a) arises out of any activity in connection with the offering of securities that is the subject of this notice, and (b) is founded, directly or indirectly, upon the provisions of: (i) the Securities Act of 1933, the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, the Investment Company Act of 1940, or the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, or any rule or regulation under any of these statutes, or (ii) the laws of the State in which the issuer maintains its principal place of business or any State in which this notice is filed.
- Certifying that, if the issuer is claiming a Regulation D exemption for the offering, the issuer is not disqualified from relying on Regulation D for one of the reasons stated in Rule 505(b)(2)(iii) or Rule 506(d).

Each Issuer identified above has read this notice, knows the contents to be true, and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

For signature, type in the signer's name or other letters or characters adopted or authorized as the signer's signature.

Issuer	Signature	Name of Signer	Title	Date
Midland States Bancorp, Inc.	Douglas J. Tucker	Douglas J. Tucker	Senior Vice President - Corporate Counsel	2015-01-13

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