FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ' <u>Wilson Millar</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 220 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Mercantil Bank Holding Corp</u> [AMTB] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/21/2018	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice-Chairman & CEO					
(Street) CORAL GABLES		33134 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv X	idual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More thar	(Check Applicable Line) orting Person			

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Ir	ransaction code (Instr.) 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	12/21/2018		A		184,615	A	\$0.00	184,615	D	
Class A Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	12/21/2018		Р		30,769	A	\$13	215,384	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		5. Num Derivat Securit Acquin or Disp (D) (Ins and 5)	tive ties ed (A) bosed of	6. Date Exerce Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and <i>J</i> Securities U Derivative S (Instr. 3 and	nderlying ecurity	rlying Derivative derivative Ownersh rity Security Securities Form: (Instr. 5) Beneficially Direct (D) Owned or Indirec Following (I) (Instr. 4		Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Effective October 23, 2018, the Issuer split its outstanding Class A and Class B common stock on a one-for-three basis (the "stock split"). As a result of the stock split, every three outstanding shares of the Issuer's Class A common stock were combined into only one share of the Issuer's Class A common stock and every three outstanding shares of the Issuer's Class B common stock were combined into only one share of the Issuer's Class B common stock. Fractional shares were issued. The amount of securities reported on this Form 4 have been adjusted to reflect the stock split. The Reporting Person beneficially owns 0 shares of Class B common stock. All future Form 4 and Form 5 filings will reflect the stock split.

Remarks:

/s/ Julio V. Pena, as Attorney-in-12/27/2018 Fact for Millar Wilson ** 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).

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