CATTANO JAMES

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **CATTANO JAMES**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ABERDEEN EMERGING MARKETS SMALLER Co OPPORTUNITIES FUND, INC.

[ABE]

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

> (Month/Day/Year) 11/08/2017

1735 MARKET STREET, 32ND **FLOOR**

(Street)

(State)

11/08/2017

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities Acquired (A) or (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

14.4292

Code V Amount (D) Price

A

276.4859

9,860.34

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)

1. Title of		3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exer		7. Title		8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CATTANO JAMES							
1735 MARKET STREET	X						
32ND FLOOR	Λ						
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103							

Signatures

Lucia Sitar as attorney-in-fact 11/13/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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