Robinson David L Form 4/A April 02, 2009

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

Common

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Robinson David L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

(Middle)

(Zip)

WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION [WABC]

03/31/2009

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below)

WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION, 4550 MANGELS BLVD

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

04/02/2009

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

SVP/Banking Division Manager

Applicable Line)

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

FAIRFIELD, CA 94534

(City) (State)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of

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

03/31/2009

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

\$

271 (1) D F 45.37 (2)

(A)

552.4871 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4. 5. 6. Date Exerci		isable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Da	ate Amou		nt of	Derivative	J
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	8) Derivative Securities			Securities		(Instr. 5)	J
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					Disposed						-
		of (D)								(
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Robinson David L WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION 4550 MANGELS BLVD FAIRFIELD, CA 94534

SVP/Banking Division Manager

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Signatures

/s/ Shirley Kolin, Attorney in Fact, for David L.
Robinson 04/02/2009

**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) Delivery of the 660 Restricted Performance Shares vesting in January 2009 took place on 3/31/09. 271 shares were withheld to pay the tax liability and 389 share were delivered to a direct holding.
- (2) This form is being amended to provide the following information. The price of the shares withheld to pay for taxes was mistakenly shown as \$0.0. The price used for determining how many share would be withheld to pay for taxes was 45.37.

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