Great Western Bancorp, Inc.

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

 NATIONAL AUSTRALIA **BANK LTD**

(Last)

(First)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year) 10/14/2014

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Great Western Bancorp, Inc. [GWB]

PIER 4 LEVEL 1, 800 BOURKE STREET

(Middle)

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

(Street)

X Director Officer

__X__ 10% Owner Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person

X Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

DOCKLANDS. VICTORIA, C3Â 3008

1. Title of Security

(City)

(Instr. 4)

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership Form: (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share $100^{(1)}$ Ι See footnote (2)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

Conversion or Exercise Price of

4.

5. Ownership Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Derivative

Derivative Security:

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Date Expiration Title Amount or Security Direct (D)

Exercisable Date Number of or Indirect
Shares (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK LTD PIER 4 LEVEL 1, 800 BOURKE STREET DOCKLANDS, VICTORIA, C3 3008	ÂX	ÂX	Â	Â
National Americas Holdings LLC 245 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK Â NYÂ 10167	ÂΧ	ÂX	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ Louise Thomson as Company Secretary of National Australia Bank Limited	10/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Matt Jensen as Authorized Person of National Americas Holdings LLC	10/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Effective October 17, 2014, the business day prior to the anticipated closing date of the initial public offering of common stock, par value (1) \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock"), of Great Western Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company"), the Company will amend its certificate of incorporation to effect a 578,861.14-for-1 split of its Common Stock.
- These securities are owned of record by National Americas Holdings LLC ("NAH"). National Australia Bank Limited ("NAB"), as the ultimate parent of NAH, is deemed to beneficially own all shares of Common Stock. The board of directors of NAB has the power to vote, or direct the vote of, and to dispose, or direct the disposition of, shares of Common Stock owned of record by NAH. Each of NAB and NAH may be deemed a director by deputization of the Company.

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