SVB FINANCIAL GROUP

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Common

Common

Stock

Stock

05/01/2015

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Husain Kamran F	Symbol	FINANCIAL GROUP [SIVB]	Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (I SVB FINANCIAL GROUP, TASMAN DRIVE	(Month	of Earliest Transaction /Day/Year) /2015	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
(Street) SANTA CLARA, CA 95054	Filed(M	nendment, Date Original Ionth/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		
(Instr. 3)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common 05/01/2015 Stock		M 280 (1) A (2)	717 D		

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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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	05/01/2015		M		280 (1)	05/01/2013	05/01/2019	Common Stock	280
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	05/01/2015		A	1,318 (4)		05/01/2016	05/01/2022	Common Stock	1,318
Stock Option	\$ 129.81	05/01/2015		A	1,328 (5)		05/01/2016	05/01/2022	Common Stock	1,328

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Husain Kamran F SVB FINANCIAL GROUP 3005 TASMAN DRIVE SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

Denise West, Attorney-in-Fact for Kamran Husain 05/05/2015

**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) Previously reported restricted stock units vested on 5/1/2015.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common Stock.
- (3) Shares withheld by Issuer for payment of tax liability incurred upon vesting of restricted stock units.
- (4) Restricted stock units are subject to annual vesting in equal installments on May 1, 2016, May 1, 2017, May 1, 2018, and May 1, 2019.
- (5) The grant of stock options is subject to annual vesting in four equal installments on the anniversary date of the grant, 25% on each of the successive anniversary dates. The exercise price of the stock options is determined based on the closing price of SIVB common stock on

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the date of grant.

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