

Nicolas Ronald J. Jr.
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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Nicolas Ronald J. Jr.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST PACTRUST BANCORP INC
[BANC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
18500 VON KARMAN AVE.,
SUITE 1100

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/20/2013

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below) _____ 10% Owner
_____ Other (specify below)
EVP, CFO

IRVINE, CA 92612

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 03/20/2013 | | P | 5,000 A \$ 11.34 | 5,000 | I | Held in Reporting Person's Retirement Savings Account |

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