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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **CLINTON GROUP INC** Issuer Symbol PACIFIC MERCANTILE (Check all applicable) BANCORP [PMBC]] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner _X_ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 601 LEXINGTON AVE., 51ST 10/27/2015 See remarks. **FLOOR** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10022 Person

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securit	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				quired of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/27/2015		S	11,600	D	\$ 6.65 (1)	2,066,917	Ι	See footnotes (2) (3) (4)
Common Stock	10/28/2015		S	20,000	D	\$ 6.66 (5)	2,046,917	I	See footnotes (2) (3) (4)
Common Stock	10/29/2015		S	100	D	\$ 6.69	2,046,817	I	See footnotes (2) (3) (4)

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			5. iorNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D	ate	Amou	le and unt of	8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	Year)	Secur	rlying ities . 3 and 4)	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
		10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CLINTON GROUP INC 601 LEXINGTON AVE. 51ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022				See remarks.				
SBAV LP 601 LEXINGTON AVENUE 51ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022				See remarks.				
SBAV GP LLC C/O CLINTON GROUP INC. 601 LEXINGTON AVE., 51ST FL. NEW YORK, NY 10022				See remarks.				
Hall George E. C/O CLINTON GROUP INC, 601 LEXINGTON AVE 51ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10021				See remarks.				
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Clinton Group, Inc., By: /s/ George Hall, its President 10/29/2015 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

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/s/ George Hall

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

SBAV LP, By: SBAV GP LLC, its General Partner, By: /s/ George Hall, its Managing Member

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

SBAV GP LLC, By: /s/ George Hall, its Managing Member

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$6.6354 to \$6.6496, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to Pacific Mercantile Bancorp, any security holder of Pacific Mercantile Bancorp, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1) and (5) to this Form 4.
 - By virtue of (i) serving as the investment manager of SBAV LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("SBAV") and (ii) a sub-advisory agreement governing a mutual fund portfolio ("WKCAX"), Clinton Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Clinton") has voting power and investment discretion with respect to the securities reported herein which are held by SBAV and WKCAX. By virtue of serving as
- (2) and investment discretion with respect to the securities reported herein which are held by SBAV and WKCAX. By virtue of serving as the general partner of SBAV, SBAV GP (as defined below) has voting power and investment discretion with respect to the securities reported herein which are held by SBAV.
- Mr. George Hall serves as the Chief Executive Officer of Clinton and as the managing member of SBAV GP, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("SBAV GP"). Mr. George E. Hall is deemed to be the indirect beneficial owner of such securities by virtue of his direct and indirect control of Clinton.
- The Reporting Persons disclaim beneficial ownership of such securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that any

 (4) Reporting Person is the beneficial owners of the securities for the purpose of Section 16 or for any other purpose, except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$6.6555 to \$6.6608, inclusive.

Remarks:

Mr. Daniel Strauss, an employee of Clinton, serves as a member of the board of directors of the Issuer. The Reporting Persons Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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