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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 <u>*</u> KRAMLICH C RICHARD	2. Date of Event Statement (Month/Day/Yea	SILICON V	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SILICON VALLEY BANCSHARES [SIVB]				
(Last) (First) (Middl	02/01/2005	4. Relationshi Person(s) to Is	p of Reporting	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
3003 TASMAN DRIVE				r ned(month Duy, real)			
(Street)		(Check	all applicable)	6. Individual or Joint/Group			
SANTA CLARA, CA 950	54	X Director Officer (give title below	10% Owner Other (specify below)	10% Owner Filing(Check Applicable Line) Dther _X_ Form filed by One Reporting			
(City) (State) (Zip)	Та	able I - Non-Derivat	ive Securities B	eneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	Ве	Amount of Securities eneficially Owned nstr. 4)	Ownership Own	lature of Indirect Beneficial nership tr. 5)			
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(Instr. 4)	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) Date Expiratio	Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. 6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Beneficial Ownership Form of (Instr. 5) Derivative Security:			

Exercisable

Date

Title

Direct (D)

or Indirect

(Instr. 5)

(I)

Security

Amount or

Number of

Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KRAMLICH C RICHARD 3003 TASMAN DRIVE SANTA CLARA, CA 95054	ÂX	Â	Â	Â			
Signatures							
By: Lisa Bertolet at attorney in fa Kramlick		02/08/2005					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting		Date					
Explanation of Responses:							

No securities are beneficially owned

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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