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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Descheneaux	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SVB FINANCIAL GROUP [SIVB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
3005 TASMAN DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2018	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SANTA CLARA, CA 95054				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(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) For Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price			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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/01/2018		M	1,000	A	\$ 107.98	18,289	D		
Common Stock	11/01/2018		S	1,000	D	\$ 239	17,289	D		
Common Stock	11/01/2018		S	750	D	\$ 240.6975	16,539	D		
Common Stock							318 (1)	I	By 401(k)/ESOP	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	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
Stock Option	\$ 107.98	11/01/2018		M	1,000	(2)	04/29/2021	Common Stock	1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Descheneaux Michael 3005 TASMAN DRIVE SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

President, Silicon Valley Bank

Signatures

Denise West, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael

Descheneaux 11/05/2018

**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) The information in this report is based on 401(k)/ESOP Plan statement dated as of September 30, 2018.
- (2) 25%/4yr beginning on 29-Apr-2015.

Remarks:

All transactions reported in this Form 4 with transaction date August 2, 2018 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading process. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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