

HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CONNIEFF RICHARD L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HERITAGE COMMERCE CORP [HTBK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1128 THORNTREE COURT
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/04/2005

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
COO

SAN JOSE, CA 95120
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Heritage Commerce Corp - Common	08/04/2005		J		49,500 A \$ 9.39	53,063	D
Heritage Commerce Corp - Common	08/04/2005		J		6,600 A \$ 11.21	59,663	D
Heritage Commerce Corp - Common	08/04/2005		J		3,300 A \$ 14.09	62,963	D

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Heritage Commerce Corp - Common	08/04/2005	J	10,000	A	\$ 9.38	72,963	D	
Heritage Commerce Corp - Common	08/04/2005	J	4,885	A	\$ 8.5	77,848	D	
Heritage Commerce Corp - Common	08/04/2005	J	2,774	A	\$ 13.35	80,622	D	
Heritage Commerce Corp - Common	08/04/2005	S	9,785	D	\$ 20	70,837	D	
Heritage Commerce Corp - Common						1,237	I	By Spouse

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. Transaction 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 6)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CONNIFF RICHARD L 1128 THORNTREE COURT SAN JOSE, CA 95120			COO	

Signatures

By: Rebecca Levey as Attorney in fact for
Date: 08/05/2005

__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).

Remarks:

Stock Option Exercise

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