#### SVB FINANCIAL GROUP

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## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addi China John	ress of Reporti	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SVB FINANCIAL GROUP [SIVB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chosh un appricable)		
3005 TASMAN DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2017	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Head of Relationship Banking		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SANTA CLAF	RA, CA 950	54	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	ve Sec	curities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefi	icially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/29/2017	05/01/2017	Code V M	Amount 242	(D)	Price (1)	10,942	D	
Common Stock	04/29/2017	05/01/2017	F	91 (2)	D	\$ 180.28	10,851	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2017	05/01/2017	M	775	A	<u>(1)</u>	11,626	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2017	05/01/2017	F	405 (2)	D	\$ 180.28	11,221	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2017		M	293	A	<u>(1)</u>	11,514	D	

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.									
Common Stock					5,585 <u>(3)</u>	I	By 401(k)/ESOP		
Common Stock	05/01/2017	F	153 (2) D	\$ 180.28	11,361	D			

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)	io <b>r</b> of Derivative		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	04/29/2017		M		242	<u>(4)</u>	04/29/2021	Common Stock	242			
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	04/30/2017		M		775	(5)	04/30/2020	Common Stock	775			
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	05/01/2017		M		293	<u>(6)</u>	05/01/2022	Common Stock	293			

# **Reporting Owners**

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
China John							
3005 TASMAN DRIVE			Head of Relationship Banking				

**Signatures** 

Denise West, Attorney-in-Fact for John China 05/03/2017

\*\*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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common Stock.
- (2) Shares withheld by Issuer for payment of tax liability incurred upon vesting of restricted stock units.
- (3) The information in this report is based on 401(k)/ESOP Plan statement dated as of March 31, 2017.
- (4) 25%/4yr beginning on 29-Apr-2015.
- (5) 25%/4yr beginning on 30-Apr-2014.
- (6) 25%/4yr beginning on 01-May-2015

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