Northwest Bancshares, Inc.

Form 4 May 22, 2015

FORM 4

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

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Northwest Bancshares,

Common Stock

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Inc.

1. Name and Ad Hunter Timo	2. Issuer Symbol	Name and	Tiener or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	Northwe	est Bancsl	hares, Inc. [NWBI]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (Mi	ddle) 3. Date of	Earliest Tra	ansaction			
100 LIBERT	(Month/D 05/22/20	•		_XDirector 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	4. If Amer	ndment, Da	te Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
WARREN, I	PA 16365	Filed(Mon	th/Day/Year)		Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Form filed by Mor Person		
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Acqu	nired, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	4. Securities Acquired (a iomr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	A) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Code V Amount (D)

1,000

P

or

Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

(Instr. 4)

D

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

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Hunter Timothy M 100 LIBERTY STREET WARREN, PA 16365	X					

Signatures

Timothy M.
Hunter

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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