TRICO BANCSHARES /

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * OSULLIVAN RICHARD B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRICO BANCSHARES / [TCBK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
63 CONSTITUTION DRIVE			02/18/2015	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, Wholesale Banking			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CHICO, CA 95928				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				Securities Ownership Indire Beneficially Form: Direct Benef	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/18/2015		M	2,670	A	\$ 19.35	215,315.423 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2015		M	7,330	A	\$ 19.35	222,645.423	D	

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

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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)	5. Number proof 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
Option Common Stock	\$ 19.35	02/18/2015		M		2,670	02/22/2006	02/22/2015	Common Stock	2,670
Option Common Stock	\$ 19.35	02/18/2015		M		7,330	02/22/2006	02/22/2015	Common Stock	7,330

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

OSULLIVAN RICHARD B 63 CONSTITUTION DRIVE CHICO, CA 95928

EVP, Wholesale Banking

Signatures

/S/ Richard B O'Sullivan by Jacob Duenas Attorney-in-Fact

02/19/2015

**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) Common Stock owned includes 40,892.72 shares held in the Issuer's Employee Stock Ownership Plan.

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