AMERICAN RIVER BANKSHARES

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Dominguez Dorene

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

AMERICAN RIVER BANKSHARES [AMRB] 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

980 NINTH STREET, STE. 900

(Street)

02/20/2008

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Instr. 4)

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SACRAMENTO,, CA 95814

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

4. Transactionof Code Derivative

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option/Right to Buy	\$ 17	02/20/2008	02/20/2008	A	397	02/20/2009	02/20/2018	Common Stock	0
Option/Right to Buy	\$ 17	02/20/2008	02/20/2008	A	398	02/20/2010	02/20/2018	Common Stock	0
Option/Right to Buy	\$ 17	02/20/2008	02/20/2008	A	398	02/20/2011	02/20/2018	Common Stock	0
Option/Right to Buy	\$ 17	02/20/2008	02/20/2008	A	398	02/20/2012	02/20/2018	Common Stock	0
Option/Right to Buy	\$ 17	02/20/2008	02/20/2008	A	398	02/20/2013	02/20/2018	Common Stock	0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	100% Owner	Officer	Otho		

Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Dominguez Dorene 980 NINTH STREET, STE. 900

X

SACRAMENTO,, CA 95814

Signatures

/s/ Dorene C. 02/20/2008 Dominguez

**Signature of Reporting Date

Explanation of Responses:

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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