

Common Stock 250 I by Son

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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 (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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 19.25 | 04/27/2005 | | M | 3,000 | 01/22/1998 ⁽³⁾ 01/22/2007 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|----------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HANSEN DENNIS R | | | | SVP/Controller |

Signatures

by: Dennis R. Hansen 04/29/2005

**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).
- (1) Restricted Performance Shares that vested 1/26/05 were reported as direct holding pending delivery in March to WAB Deferral Plan trust.
- (2) Includes allocations through 3/31/05 to Westamerica Bancorporation's Tax Deferred Savings/Retirement (ESOP) Plan.

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(3) Shares vest ratably over three years beginning one year from date of grant.

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