#### VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP

Form 4

February 03, 2015

### FORM 4

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Onorato Andrea T			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  Symbol				g	Issuer			
	VALLE [VLY]	VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP				(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
1455 VALLEY ROAD			01/30/2015					below) below) EVP-Director Retail Operations			
				Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Mon	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
WAYNE, NJ 07470											
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired tion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially (D) or Bene Owned Indirect (I) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr Reported		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	01/30/2015			A	21,858 (1)	A	\$0	64,160	D		
Common Stock	02/02/2015			F	464	D	\$ 9.08	63,696	D		
Common Stock	02/02/2015			F	609	D	\$ 9.08	63,087	D		
Common Stock	02/02/2015			F	628	D	\$ 9.08	62,459	D		
Common Stock (401k Plan)								2,132	D		

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Da	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	]
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	1
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					4, and 5)						
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						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable Date	of	of			
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Onorato Andrea T 1455 VALLEY ROAD WAYNE, NJ 07470

EVP-Director Retail Operations

### **Signatures**

/s/ M. Nasette Aranda, As attorney-in-fact

02/03/2015

\*\*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)This amount represents the following grants under the Valley National Bancorp 2009 Long Term Incentive Stock Plan: (i) 5,464 restricted shares subject to time-based vesting which are scheduled to vest in equal annual increments beginning on the first anniversary
- (1) of the grant date and (ii) 16,394 restricted stock units subject to performance-based vesting conditions over a three-year period, all of which may be forfeited in the event performance conditions are not satisfied (this amount represents the maximum number of shares that may be earned pursuant to this RSU award).

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