#### VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP

Form 4

January 31, 2017

# FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

*See* Instruction 1(b).

Robbins Ira

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

			VALLE [VLY]	VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP [VLY]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction					Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
1455 VALI	LEY ROAD		(Month/E 01/27/2					below)  President - VNB				
				4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
WAYNE, NJ 07470			Filed(Moi	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-D	erivative)	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execu	eemed tion Date, if h/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	01/27/2017			F	4,000	D	\$ 12.2	119,948 (1)	D			
Common Stock	01/30/2017			F	1,689	D	\$ 12.29	118,259	D			
Common Stock	01/31/2017			F	1,558	D	\$ 12.07	116,701	D			
Common Stock	01/31/2017			F	1,869	D	\$ 12.07	114,832	D			
Common Stock								288 (2)	I	Trustee FBO Minors		

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Preferred Stock	800	I	Wife
Common Stock	2,000	I	Wife

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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. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	5. nNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				

Robbins Ira

1455 VALLEY ROAD President - VNB WAYNE, NJ 07470

### **Signatures**

/s/ IRA D.

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\*\*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).

Deletionships

(1) The amount of securities beneficially owned has been adjusted to reflect the forfeiture of performance-based restricted shares granted in January 2014 and originally reported on Form 4. These shares did not vest based on the applicable total shareholder return and growth in

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tangible book value conditions measured over the three-year performance period ending December 31, 2016.

(2) Adjusted for additional shares acquired through Valley National Bancorp's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

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