LIPKIN GERALD H

Form 4

February 01, 2013

FORM 4

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

OMB 3235-0287 Number:

Estimated average

burden hours per

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

OMB APPROVAL

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

January 31, Expires: 2005

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

response... 0.5

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

LIPKIN GERALD H			Symbol VALLEY NATIONAL DANGODD					Issuer			
			[VLY]	VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP [VLY]					(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1455 VALLEY ROAD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2013					X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)	4. If Ame		ate Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
WAYNE, N						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative Se	curiti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		osed o	of (D)	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 (1)	01/31/2013			A	102,249 (2)	A	\$0	272,423	D		
Common Stock (1)								6,946	I	Spouse - Roth IRA	
Common Stock (1)								324,760	I	Wife	
Common Stock (401k Plan)								46	D		
								68,889	D		

Edgar Filing: LIPKIN GERALD H - Form 4

Common Stock (Roth IRA) (1)

Common Stock (with

Spouse) $\underline{^{(1)}}$

154 D

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

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SEC 1474 (9-02)

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)	n Date 3A. Deemed (Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		5. orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	te	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
Stock Option/NQ	\$ 11.91					11/15/2011	11/15/2020	Common Stock	44,016
Stock Options	\$ 15.74					03/01/2004	03/01/2013	Common Stock	11,401
Stock Options	\$ 18.1					02/26/2005	02/26/2014	Common Stock	31,026
Stock Options	\$ 18.13					02/08/2006	02/08/2015	Common Stock	29,551
Stock Options	\$ 17.23					02/15/2007	02/15/2016	Common Stock	35,178
Stock Options	\$ 19.36					02/13/2008	02/13/2017	Common Stock	46,904
Stock Options	\$ 14.65					02/12/2009	02/12/2018	Common Stock	44,671

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Director 10% Owner Officer

LIPKIN GERALD H 1455 VALLEY ROAD WAYNE, NJ 07470-

Chairman, President and CEO

Signatures

/s/ GERALD H. LIPKIN 02/01/2013

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

X

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Valley National Bancorp declared a 5% stock dividend on April 18, 2012, issued May 25, 2012 to shareholders of record on May 11, 2012.
- (2) Restricted shares granted under the Valley National Bancorp 2009 Long Term Incentive Stock Plan, with three-year equal vesting, beginning at grant date.
- (3) Holdings under the Valley 401K Plan has been updated to reflect reporting person's balance in the Plan.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

Reporting Owners 3