GREATER BAY BANCORP

Form 4 April 27, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Form 5 obligations

may continue. See Instruction

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

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

FLOOR

(City)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCORDELIS BYRON A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

GREATER BAY BANCORP [GBBK]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 1900 UNIVERSITY AVENUE, 6TH 04/25/2005

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

CEO, Greater Bay Bancorp

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

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

EAST PALO ALTO, CA 94303

(State)

04/25/2005

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

(Zip)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

(1)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price Code V (D) Amount

\$0 27,000

or

46,000

D

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)

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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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title I
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.575	04/25/2005		A	4,241	04/25/2006(2)	04/25/2015	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.575	04/25/2005		A	35,759	04/25/2006(2)	04/25/2015	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SCORDELIS BYRON A 1900 UNIVERSITY AVENUE, 6TH FLOOR EAST PALO ALTO, CA 94303	X		CEO, Greater Bay Bancorp			

Signatures

/s/ Byron A.
Scordelis

**Signature of Date

**Signature of D
Reporting Person

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 shares granted under the Issuer's 1996 Stock Option Plan. Restrictions will lapse on 4/25/08.
- (2) 20% vesting on each anniversary of grant date.
- (3) Option granted under the Issuer's 1996 Stock Option Plan

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