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obligations may continue.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).											
(Print or Type R	esponsesy										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Irving Paul H			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
		EAST WEST BANCORP INC [EWBC]					(Check all applicable)				
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
FLOOR	ROBLES AVE. 7	IH	07/24/20	)12							
				. If Amendment, Date Original iled(Month/Day/Year)				<ol> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ol>			
PASADENA	A, CA 91101								More than One R		
(City)	(State) (2	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any		on Date, if	3.4. SecuritiesTransactionAcquired (A) orCodeDisposed of (D)(Instr. 8)(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			SecuritiesIBeneficially(OwnedI	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	07/24/2012			А	2,294	А	\$0	11,648	D		
Common Stock	07/24/2012			А	1,835	A	\$0	13,483	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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Tit Amou Unde Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Irving Paul H 135 N. LOS ROBLES AVE. 7TH FLOOR PASADENA, CA 91101	х							
Signatures								
Douglas P. Krause, Attorney-in-Fact	7/26/2012							
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date							
Evolution of Responses:								

## 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).

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