Bass Douglas Richard Form 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Bass Dougl		Symbol			Ticker of		C	Issuer				
	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					nc. [0	GWBJ	(Che	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) C/O GREA' BANCORP MAIN AVE	1	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2018						Director 10% Owner Selfow) Regional President and EVP				
(Street) 4. If Am Filed(Mo						te Origina	1		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year		emed 3. on Date, if Trans Code (Day/Year) (Instr			4. Securi n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ties A ispose 4 and (A) or	cquired d 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)	7. Nature of	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/04/2018			M		813	A	\$ 0	19,368	D		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/04/2018(1)			A		3,607	A	\$ 0	22,975	D		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	12/04/2018(2)			F		248	D	\$ 34.51	22,727	D		

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per share

Common

Stock, par value \$0.01 $12/04/2018^{(3)}$ F 1,096 D \$ 34.51 21,631 D

per share

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8		onof		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units - 2015	<u>(4)</u>	12/04/2018		M			813	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	813	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Units - 2016	<u>(4)</u>							<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	656	
Restricted Stock Units - 2017	<u>(4)</u>							<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	1,259	
Restricted Stock Units - 2018	<u>(4)</u>							(8)	(8)	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	6,096	

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Restricted Common Stock Stock, par (9) (9) Units <u>(4)</u> value 859 (2018)\$0.01 per STI) share

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bass Douglas Richard C/O GREAT WESTERN BANCORP, INC. 225 SOUTH MAIN AVENUE SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104

Regional President and EVP

Signatures

Donald J. Straka, as attorney-in-fact for Douglas Richard Bass

**Signature of Reporting Person

12/06/2018 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).
- The vesting and issuance of performance stock units granted in December 2015 and based on the achievement of pre-established **(1)** performance objectives over a three year period ended September 30, 2018.
- The units representing these shares were surrendered to satisfy tax withholding obligations on the vesting of restricted stock unit awards.
- The units representing these shares were surrendered to satisfy tax withholding obligations on the vesting of performance stock unit (3)
- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of Great **(4)** Western Bancorp, Inc.
- The restricted stock units vest in three annual equal installments beginning on December 4, 2016. The restricted stock units have no **(5)** expiration date.
- The restricted stock units vest in three annual equal installments beginning on December 2, 2017. The restricted stock units have no expiration date.
- The restricted stock units vest in three equal installments beginning on December 1, 2018. The restricted stock units have no expiration **(7)** date.
- The restricted stock units vest in three annual installments beginning on November 30, 2019. The restricted stock units have no expiration (8)
- (9) The restricted stock units vest on November 30, 2019. The restricted stock units have no expiration date.

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