ESSA Bancorp, Inc. Form 4 July 24, 2014

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Selitto Robert L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			ESSA Bancorp, Inc. [ESSA]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
200 PALM	ER STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 07/22/2014	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
STROUDS	BURG, PA 18	3360	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	equired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1 Title of	2 Transaction	Date 2A Dec	amed 3 A Securities	5 Amount of 6 Ownership 7 Nature 6			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	07/22/2014		Code V	Amount 1,130 (3)	(A) or (D)	Price \$ 0	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 2,082 (2)	D		
Common Stock							100	I	As custodian for child 2	
Common Stock							3,914 (1)	I	By ESOP	
Common Stock							3,246 <u>(1)</u>	Ι	By 401(k)	

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

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Y ve s i	te		and Amount of 8. ing Securities De and 4) Se (Ir	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options	\$ 12.35					05/23/2009	05/23/2018	Common Stock	15,000	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer 10% Owner Other Director

Selitto Robert L

Vice President 200 PALMER STREET

STROUDSBURG, PA 18360

Signatures

/s/ Marc Levy, pursuant to power of 07/24/2014 attorney

> **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).
- (1) Reflects transactions not required to be reported pursuant to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- (2) Includes shares of restricted stock which vest at a rate of 50% per year commencing on September 30, 2013.
- (3) Shares of restricted stock vest at a rate of 25% per year commencing on September 30, 2014.

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