#### WILCOX KENNETH P

Form 4

January 05, 2007

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading WILCOX KENNETH P Issuer Symbol SVB FINANCIAL GROUP [SIVB] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify 3003 TASMAN DRIVE 01/03/2007 below) President & CEO

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

### SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tab   | le I - Non-                             | Derivative   | Secu | rities Acc  | quired, Disposed  | of, or Benefic | cially Owned         |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|------|---|---|----------------|----------------------|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price |      | 5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |                |                      |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 01/03/2007                              |   | M(1)                                    | 6,000  | A    | \$<br>8.938   | 75,456  | D              |                      |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 01/03/2007                              |   | S <u>(1)</u>                            | 6,000  | D    | \$ 47   | 69,456  | D              |                      |
| Common<br>Stock                      |   |   |   |  |      |   | 7,679   | I              | By self in 401k/ESOP |

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# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| Derivative Security (Instr. 3)                  | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security |            | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4) |                                |
|---|---|------------|--|----------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|--|--------------------------------|
|   |   |            |  | Code V                           | ·   | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amo<br>or<br>Num<br>of<br>Shar |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Option<br>(right to buy) | \$ 8.938  | 01/03/2007 |  | M <u>(1)</u>                     | 6,000   | 04/15/1999   | 01/21/2009         | Common<br>Stock  | 6,0                            |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |                 |       |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1                              | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |  |  |  |
| WILCOX KENNETH P               |               |           |                 |       |  |  |  |
| 3003 TASMAN DRIVE              | X             |           | President & CEO |       |  |  |  |
| SANTA CLARA, CA 95054          |               |           |                 |       |  |  |  |

## **Signatures**

By: Lisa Bertolet as attorney in fact For: Kenneth P. Wilcox 01/04/2007

\*\*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) The sale reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan entered into by the reporting person as of May 10, 2005

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