Dreyer Michael L Form 4 November 15, 2017

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Dreyer Michael L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SVB FINANCIAL GROUP [SIVB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
3005 TASMAN	N DRIVE		(Month/Day/Year) 11/13/2017	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Operations Officer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SANTA CLARA, CA 95054			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	ve Sec	urities Acq	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefi	icially 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)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/12/2017	11/13/2017	M	2,016	A	<u>(1)</u>	3,747	D	
Common Stock	11/12/2017	11/13/2017	F	787 <u>(2)</u>	D	\$ 212.26	2,960	D	
Common Stock							19	I	By 401(k)/ESOP

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration E (Month/Day	Pate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	11/12/2017	11/13/2017	M	2,016	<u>(3)</u>	11/12/2022	Common Stock	2,016

Reporting Owners

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dreyer Michael L

3005 TASMAN DRIVE Chief Operations Officer

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

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Signatures

Denise West, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael
Dreyer

11/15/2017

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common Stock.
- (2) Shares withheld by Issuer for payment of tax liability incurred upon vesting of restricted stock units.
- (3) Vests 2,016 share(s) on 12-Nov-2016, 2,016 share(s) on 12-Nov-2017, 2,016 share(s) on 12-Nov-2018, 2,016 share(s) on 12-Nov-2019.

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