#### TRICO BANCSHARES /

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **CARNEY CRAIG B** 

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

09/30/2006

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) SR & VP Chief Credit Officer

63 CONSTITUTION DR

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHICO, CA 95973

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Price

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

09/30/2006

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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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

**CARNEY CRAIG B 63 CONSTITUTION DR** CHICO, CA 95973

SR & VP Chief Credit Officer

## **Signatures**

Suzanne Youngs "Power of 10/02/2006 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) Please Note: The shares were acquired through dividend reinvestment for September 2006.

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