

MULLIGAN ROBERT J
Form 4
February 01, 2013

FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MULLIGAN ROBERT J

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP
[VLY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1455 VALLEY ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/31/2013

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

WAYNE, NJ 07470-

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

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

(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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 ⁽¹⁾	01/31/2013		A	Amount ⁽²⁾ 15,337 or (D) A	\$ 0 88,746	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾					464	I ⁽³⁾	Children's Ownership
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾					1,586	I ⁽³⁾	Ira/wife

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. De Se (In
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option/NQ	\$ 11.91					11/15/2011	11/15/2020	Common Stock	8,216
Stock Options	\$ 18.85					11/17/2004	11/17/2013	Common Stock	9,308
Stock Options	\$ 18.93					11/16/2005	11/16/2014	Common Stock	8,864
Stock Options	\$ 17.54					11/14/2006	11/14/2015	Common Stock	8,443
Stock Options	\$ 19.19					11/13/2007	11/13/2016	Common Stock	9,380
Stock Options	\$ 14.65					02/12/2009	02/12/2018	Common Stock	5,106

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
MULLIGAN ROBERT J 1455 VALLEY ROAD WAYNE, NJ 07470-	EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

Signatures

/s/ ROBERT J.
MULLIGAN

02/01/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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- (1) Valley National Bancorp declared a 5% stock dividend on April 18, 2012, issued May 25, 2012 to shareholders of record on May 11, 2012.
- (2) Restricted shares granted under the Valley National Bancorp 2009 Long Term Incentive Stock Plan, with three-year equal vesting, beginning at grant date.
- (3) Adjusted for additional shares acquired through Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

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