

BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC.
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FORM 5

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Boyle Hugh F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC.
 [BANC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2016

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 ___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 INTERIM CEO, CHF. RISK OFFICER

C/O BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC., 18500 VON KARMAN AVE, SUITE 1100

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

IRVINE, CA 92612

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting 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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|------------------|--|--|---|
| | | | | Amount | (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/04/2016 | Â | A ⁽¹⁾ | 104.0193 | A \$ 14.181 | 93,866.7419 | D | Â |
| Common Stock | 04/01/2016 | Â | A ⁽¹⁾ | 87.6359 | A \$ 16.975 | 93,866.7419 | D | Â |
| Common Stock | 07/01/2016 | Â | A ⁽¹⁾ | 200.7507 | A \$ 17.557 | 93,866.7419 | D | Â |
| | 10/03/2016 | Â | A ⁽¹⁾ | 209.5317 | A | 93,866.7419 | D | Â |

Common Stock \$ 16.936

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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option | \$ 13.83 | Â | Â | Â | Â (A) | Â (2) 09/30/2023 | Common Stock | 25,000 |
| Stock Option | \$ 13.29 | Â | Â | Â | Â (A) | 04/01/2016 05/15/2025 | Common Stock | 16,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Boyle Hugh F C/O BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC. 18500 VON KARMAN AVE, SUITE 1100 IRVINE, CA 92612 | Â | Â | Â INTERIM CEO, CHF. RISK OFFICER | Â |

Signatures

/s/ Albert Wang, Attorney-in-Fact 02/14/2017

**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) Shares were acquired pursuant to the Issuer's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- (2) The stock option vests 20% annually, beginning on the one year anniversary of the grant date.

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