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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Israel James

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Great Western Bancorp, Inc. [GWB] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O GREAT WESTERN BANCORP, INC., 225 SOUTH

MAIN AVENUE

(Month/Day/Year)

11/30/2018

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

> Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104

(Zip)

(Middle)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

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

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Sect (Ins
				Code V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units - 2016	Ш					<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	1,522	
Restricted Stock Units - 2017	<u>(1)</u>					(3)	(3)	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	1,461	
Restricted Stock Units - 2018	(1)	11/30/2018		A	1,608	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	1,608	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Israel James						
C/O GREAT WESTERN BANCORP, INC.	X					
225 SOUTH MAIN AVENUE	Λ					
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104						

Signatures

Donald J. Straka, as attorney-in-fact for James A. Israel 12/04/2018

**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 common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of Great Western Bancorp, Inc.
- (2) The restricted stock units vested 100% on the grant date, December 2, 2016. The restricted stock units have no expiration date.

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- (3) The restricted stock units vested 100% on the grant date, December 1, 2017. The restricted stock units have no expiration date.
- (4) The restricted stock units vested 100% on the grant date, November 30, 2018. The restricted stock units have no expiration date.

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