GIPSON ROBERT E

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

GIPSON ROBERT E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Officer (give title

Issuer

below)

First California Financial Group, Inc.

[FCAL]

(Check all applicable) X_ Director 10% Owner

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

3027 TOWNSGATE ROAD, SUITE 01/30/2013

(Middle)

(Zip)

300

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

(A)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA 91361

(State)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 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 (D) or Owned (Instr. 4) Following Reported

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

Other (specify

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price (D)

Common

Stock, 01/30/2013 \$0.01 par value

1,873

Code V Amount

\$0 64,719 (2)

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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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

GIPSON ROBERT E 3027 TOWNSGATE ROAD, SUITE 300 X WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA 91361

Signatures

/s/ Romolo Santarosa, Attorney-in-Fact

02/01/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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) Represents restricted stock that will vest in one-third increments annually on each of January 30, 2014, 2015 and 2016.
- Includes previously reported 3,597 shares of restricted stock granted on January 25, 2012 that will vest in one-third increments annually on each of January 25, 2013, 2014 and 2015, 3,969 shares of restricted stock granted on March 16, 2011 that vest in one-third increments annually on each of March 16, 2012, 2013 and 2014 and 3,045 shares of restricted stock granted on February 25, 2009 that vest in one-third increments annually on each of February 25, 2010, 2011 and 2012.

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