SMITH RICHARD P

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SMITH RICHARD P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRICO BANCSHARES / [tcbk]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of	3. Date of Earliest Transaction		(Check an applicable)			
63 CONST	ITUTION DR	IVE	(Month/2 06/11/2	Day/Year) 2010		below)		Other (specify elow)	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CHICO, CA	A 95973					Form filed by Person	More than One R	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non	-Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Y			3. Transac	4. Securities Acquired tion(A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature Indirect	

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Perivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	06/11/2010		J(1)	0	A	\$ 0	81,171	D	
Common Stock	06/11/2010	06/16/2010	J <u>(2)</u>	10,686	A	\$ 17.86	1,223,211	I	By TriCo ESOP of which I am a Trustee
Common Stock	06/11/2010		J <u>(1)</u>	0	A	\$ 0	189.272	I	By Spouse

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative]
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	5
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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	Security				Acquired]
	·				(A) or						J
					Disposed						7
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	^ I III e	Title	Number		
						Lacreisable	Duic		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMITH RICHARD P 63 CONSTITUTION DRIVE CHICO, CA 95973	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

Suzanne Youngs "Power of Attorney" 06/11/2010

**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) No transactions occurred among these shares, intended only to reflect number of shares beneficially owned.
- (2) ESOP purchased shares.

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