GERMAN AMERICAN BANCORP, INC.

Form 4 April 21, 2014

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Root M. Darren			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GERMAN AMERICAN BANCORP, INC. [GABC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 711 MAIN STREET, PO BOX 810			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2014					Director Officer (give below)		% Owner her (specify		
JASPER,	(Street)  JASPER, IN 47546		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - Nor	-Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficia	ally Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution D any (Month/Day	xecution Date, if ny Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities A Transaction Disposed of Code (Instr. 3, 4 and (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (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)		
Stock	04/15/2014	04/21/201	.4	P	21.924	A	\$ 27.3673	2,105	D			
Common Stock								1,500	I	Held in Retirement		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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	1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security or Ex (Instr. 3) Price Deriv		or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Root M. Darren 711 MAIN STREET, PO BOX 810 JASPER, IN 47546

## **Signatures**

/s/ Mark A. Schroeder, Attorney-in-Fact

04/21/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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