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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

GERMAN AMERICAN

BANCORP, INC. [GABC]

Symbol

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

Estimated average

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(Last)	(First) STREET, BOX	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					Director Officer (g		0% Owner Other (specify	
/11 WAIN	(Street)	810	12/18/2017 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			
JASPER, IN	N 47546							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year) Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) o l 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	12/18/2017			A	408	A	(1)	16,969 (2) (3)	D		
Common Stock								17,127	I	By C & K Partnership LP	
Common Stock								73,170	I	By G & L Partnership LP	
Common Stock								71,451	I	By Ramsey Real Estate Enterprises	

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Common Stock	12,354	I	By Guy N Ramsey Company
Common Stock	55,516	I	By Ram Tell Inc.
Common Stock	8,871	I	Joint with 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 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. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	5. nNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othor		

Ramsey Chris A 711 MAIN STREET BOX 810 JASPER, IN 47546

Signatures

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

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Restricted Stock Price not applicable
- (2) Includes shares purchased pursuant to German American's dividend reinvestment plan
- (3) This is a late filing

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