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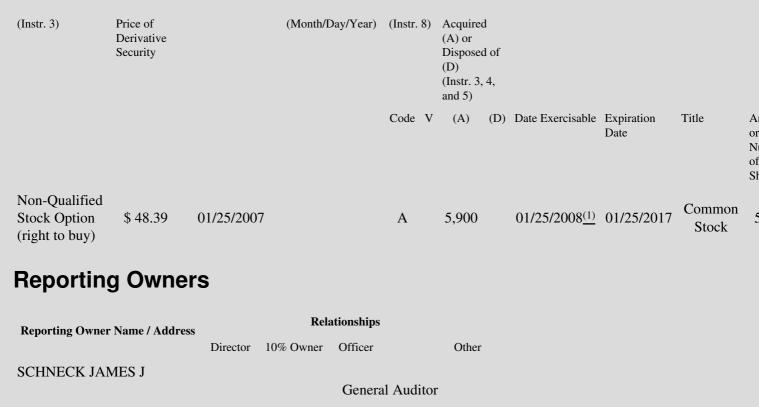
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(Print or Type Re	esponses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> SCHNECK JAMES J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION [WABC]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (1	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2007				Director X Officer (gi below)		% Owner her (specify	
				ed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable _X_Form				or Joint/Group Filing(Check ne) d by One Reporting Person d by More than One Reporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
	. Transaction Date Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	ed Date, if	3. Transactio Code	4. Securitie nAcquired (Disposed c (Instr. 3, 4	es A) or 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	
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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. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Ame
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Secu
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

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Signatures

/s/ James J. Schneck	01/29/2007		
<u>**</u> 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).

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(1) Options vest ratably over three years beginning one year from date of grant.

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