

WESTERN ALLIANCE BANCORPORATION

Form 4

July 24, 2007

**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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**MARSHALL TODD**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O WESTERN ALLIANCE  
BANCORPORATION, 2700 WEST  
SAHARA AVENUE**

(Street)

**LAS VEGAS, NV 89102**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**WESTERN ALLIANCE  
BANCORPORATION [WAL]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**07/20/2007**

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                        | 79,891                                                                                                             | D                                                                       |                                                                   |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                         | 75,000                                                                                                             | I                                                                       | By The Todd<br>Marshall<br>Revocable<br>Trust UAD<br>4/1/03       |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                         | 429,970                                                                                                            | I                                                                       | By The Todd<br>Marshall<br>Revocable                              |

|              |            |  |   |        |   |         |        |   |                                                                    |
|--------------|------------|--|---|--------|---|---------|--------|---|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
|              |            |  |   |        |   |         |        |   | Family Trust, Dated April 13, 2000                                 |
| Common Stock |            |  |   |        |   | 6,570   | I      |   | By Alexis V. Marshall Trust 12/27/1996                             |
| Common Stock |            |  |   |        |   | 6,570   | I      |   | By Jessica L. Marshall Trust 12/27/1996                            |
| Common Stock |            |  |   |        |   | 33,069  | I      |   | By The Todd Marshall 1997 Trust FBO Jessica Lauren Marshall Trust  |
| Common Stock |            |  |   |        |   | 33,069  | I      |   | By The Todd Marshall 1997 Trust FBO Alexis Victoria Marshall Trust |
| Common Stock | 07/20/2007 |  | P | 10,000 | A | \$ 25.1 | 10,000 | I | J&A Family Educational LP No. 1                                    |
| Common Stock | 07/20/2007 |  | P | 10,000 | A | \$ 25.1 | 10,000 | I | J&A Family Educational LP No. 2                                    |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Bene<br>Own<br>Follo |
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(A) or  
Disposed  
of (D)  
(Instr. 3,  
4, and 5)

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(Instr

| Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------------------------|
|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------------------------|

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                         | Relationships |              |         |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|
|                                                                                                        | Director      | 10%<br>Owner | Officer | Other |
| MARSHALL TODD<br>C/O WESTERN ALLIANCE BANCORPORATION<br>2700 WEST SAHARA AVENUE<br>LAS VEGAS, NV 89102 | X             |              |         |       |

Signatures

|                                       |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| /s/ Dale Gibbons,<br>Attorney-in-Fact | 07/24/2007 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person       | Date       |

Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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