KLEM U BUTCH Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KLEM U BUTCH			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GERMAN AMERICAN BANCORP, INC. [GABC]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 530 UNIVE	· · ·	fiddle)	3. Date of (Month/Date 05/15/20	•	ansaction	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
(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)	Table	I - Non-D	erivative Securities Acc	quired,	Disposed of, or B	seneficially O	wned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Code V

P

(A)

or

(D)

A

Amount

39.3871

Price

12.6945

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

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(1) (2)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

141,521.0464

(Instr. 4)

D

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title Amoun Under	int of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
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					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
.t	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KLEM U BUTCH 530 UNIVERSITY DR JASPER, IN 47546	X						

Signatures

Mark A Schroeder POA for U Butch Klem 05/26/2009

**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) Column 5 includes 42,833.4533 shares owned by Mr. Klem's spouse and 16,534 shares owned by Mr. Klem's company
- (2) Includes shares acquired pursuant to German American Bancorp's Dividend Reinvestment Plan

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