

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5
obligations may continue. See
Instruction 1(b).

Check this box to indicate that a
transaction was made pursuant to a
contract, instruction or written plan for
the purchase or sale of equity
securities of the issuer that is intended
to satisfy the affirmative defense
conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See
Instruction 10.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Rice Joseph J</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC.</u> <u>3 MACARTHUR PLACE</u> (Street) <u>SANTA ANA CA 92707</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC. [BANC]</u> 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>07/08/2026</u> 4. If Amendment, Date of 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) <u>SR EVP AND VICE CHAIRMAN</u> 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) ☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	07/08/2026		A ⁽¹⁾		18,114	A	\$0.00	44,531	D	
Common Stock								9,500	I	By the Joseph & Monica Rice Revocable Trust
Common Stock								10,000	I	By the Joseph J. Rice 2012 Irrevocable Trust

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Performance Stock Units	(2)	07/08/2026		A ⁽²⁾		50,000		(2)	05/23/2028 ⁽²⁾	Common Stock	50,000	\$0.00	50,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents grant of restricted stock units. Shares will be issued upon vesting and will vest annually, in substantially equal installments, over a three-year period beginning on July 31, 2027.
2. Represents grant of performance-based restricted stock units. Shares will be issued upon achievement of both (a) Issuer's common stock achieving a twenty-day Volume-Weighted Average Price of \$28.73 per share by no later than May 23, 2028, and (b) the Reporting Persons' continued service through May 23, 2028.

Remarks:

/s/ Ido Dotan, Attorney-in-Fact 07/10/2026
for Joseph J Rice

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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