



WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION

and Subsidiaries

November 16, 1995

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Top Hat Plan Exemption
Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, Room N-5644
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue NW.
Washington, D.C. 20210

RE: Westamerica Bancorporation Deferred Compensation Plans

Ladies and Gentlemen:

As required by Department of Labor regulations section 2520.104-23 and in satisfaction of the reporting and disclosure requirements of Part 1 of Title I of ERISA, we are filing the enclosed statement with the Secretary of Labor regarding the Westamerica Bancorporation Deferral Plan (the "Plan").

Statement

1. Name and address of Employer: Westamerica Bancorporation, 1108 Fifth Avenue, San Rafael, CA 94915
2. Employer Identification Number (EIN): 94-2156203
3. The Employer, Westamerica Bancorporation, declares that it maintains two (2) plans, primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation for a select group of management or highly compensated employees.
4. Number of employees in the Westamerica Bancorporation Deferral Plan: 10; number of employees in the Westamerica Bancorporation Deferred Compensation Plan: 56.

If you have any further questions, please contact Robert A. Thorson at (415) 257-8115.

Very truly yours,

Robert A. Thorson
Vice President and Manager
Human Resources Division

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