#### THOMPSON MICHAEL L

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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5 Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

THOMPSO	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FIRST COMMUNITY BANCORP /CA/ [FCBP]					Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) 401 WEST	(First) "A" STREET	(Middle)	of Earliest Transaction Day/Year) 2007				Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President				
	(Street) 4. If Amendment, I Filed(Month/Day/Ye					l		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _Form filed by More than One Reporting			
SAN DIEGO, CA 92101								Person			
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/15/2007			M	10,000	A	\$ 26.81	50,482	D		
Common Stock								4,743.324	I	By 401(k) Plan	

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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 26.81	02/15/2007		M	10,000	<u>(1)</u>	07/24/2007	Common Stock	10,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

THOMPSON MICHAEL L 401 WEST "A" STREET SAN DIEGO, CA 92101

**Executive Vice President** 

## **Signatures**

/s/ Michael L. 02/16/2007 Thompson

\*\*Signature of Reporting 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) The option vested in three equal installments beginning on July 24, 2003 and ending on July 24, 2005.

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