MAHONEY CORNELIUS D

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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				BERKSHIRE HILLS BANCORP [INC [BHLB] (Check all applicable)			e)				
(Last) 24 NORTH	(First) H STREET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2011			_	_X Director Officer (give below)	rector10% Owner Give titleOther (specify below)			
PITTSFIE	(Street)			endment, Donth/Day/Yea	· ·	ial	- -	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)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Acqui	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securionor Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of		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	04/29/2011			S	4,001	D	\$ 22.112	44,821	D		
Common Stock	04/29/2011			S	999	D	\$ 22.2754	43,822	D		
Common Stock								943	I	By Stock Award IV	
Common Stock								1,208	I	By Stock Award III	
								675	I		

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Common By Stock Daughter

Common Stock 675 I By Son

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

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

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6. Date Exercisable and

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

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,			Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	
					4, and 5)				Amount
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number

4.

5.

Code V (A) (D)

of Shares

7. Title and Amount of

Reporting Owners

2.

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MAHONEY CORNELIUS D 24 NORTH STREET PITTSFIELD, MA 01201	X					

Signatures

1. Title of

/s/ Kevin P. Riley, Pursuant to Power of Attorney 05/02/2011

**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).

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Stock Awards granted pursuant to the Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc. 2003 Equity Compensation Plan vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 30, 2011.

Stock Awards granted pursuant to the Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc. 2003 Equity Compensation Plan vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 30, 2012.

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