

National Bank Holdings Corp
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LANEY G. TIMOTHY

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 7800 ORCHARD RD., SUITE 300
 (Street)

**GREENWOOD
 VILLIAGE, CO 80111**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**National Bank Holdings Corp
 [NBHC]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
04/29/2014

4. If Amendment, Date 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)
President, CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/29/2014		A	(A) Amount 28,000 (1)	\$ 0 483,709 (2)	D	
Common Stock					38,962	I	By The Timothy Laney 2012 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust

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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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.92	04/29/2014		A	28,000	<u>(3)</u>	04/29/2024			Common Stock	28,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LANEY G. TIMOTHY 7800 ORCHARD RD., SUITE 300 GREENWOOD VILLIAGE, CO 80111	X		President, CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Zsolt K. Bessko as
Attorney-in-Fact

05/01/2014

__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) Shares acquired pursuant to a grant of restricted stock under the NBHC 2009 Equity Incentive Plan. Shares vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.
 - (2) Since the reporting person's last Form 4 filing on October 21, 2012, 25,888 shares of NBHC's stock were distributed to the reporting person from the reporting person's Grantor Retained Annuity Trust, therefore changing his ownership from indirect to direct.
 - (3) Granted under the NBHC 2009 Equity Incentive Plan. The stock option award is time vested and is scheduled to vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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