

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

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# INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Bonino John M. 11/6/		11/6/201	Silv	Silvergate Capital Corp [SI]						
(Last) (First) (Middle)	4. Relati	ionship of R	Reporting Person(	son(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
4250 EXECUTIVE		ector	10% Owner							
SQUARE, SUITE 300		X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  EVP & Chief Legal Officer /								
(Street) LA JOLLA, CA 92037	Original Filed			5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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(City) (State) (Zip)										
	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative Securi	ties Benefic	ially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)				Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership nstr. 5)			
Class A Common Stock			8449		D					
Table II - Derivative	Securities 1	Beneficially	y Owned (e.g., p	uts, calls, w	arrants, opt	ons, c	onvertible secui	rities)		
(Instr. 4) Exp	Date Exercis piration Dat M/DD/YYYY)		Securities Und	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Da Exc		Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares		•	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)			
Stock Options 3/2	25/2011	3/25/2021	Class A Common Stock	30000	\$4.	)9	D			

### **Explanation of Responses:**

Remarks:

**EXHIBIT LIST:** 

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

**Reporting Owners** 

Panarting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bonino John M. 4250 EXECUTIVE SQUARE SUITE 300 LA JOLLA, CA 92037			EVP & Chief Legal Officer				

#### **Signatures**

/s/ John M. Bonino 11/6/2019

\*\*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 5(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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### LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR

SECTION 16 REPORTING OBLIGATIONS

Know all by these present, that the undersigned hereby makes, constitutes and appoints each of Antonio Martino, John Bonino, Judith Knowles, and Megan Collins as the undersigned's true and lawful attorneys-in-fact, with full power and authority as hereinafter described on behalf of and in the name, place and stead of the undersigned to:

- (1) prepare, execute, acknowledge, deliver and file Forms 3, 4, and 5 (including any amendments thereto) with respect to the securities of Silvergate Capital Corporation, a Maryland corporation (the "Company"), with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, any national securities exchanges and the Company, as considered necessary or advisable under Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended from time to time (the "Exchange Act");
- (2) seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities from any third party, including brokers, employee benefit plan administrators and trustees, and the undersigned hereby authorizes any such person to release any such information to the undersigned and approves and ratifies any such release of information; and
- (3) perform any and all other acts which in the discretion of such attorney-in-fact are necessary or desirable for and on behalf of the undersigned in connection with the foregoing.

The undersigned acknowledges that:

- (1) this Power of Attorney authorizes, but does not require, such attorney-in-fact to act in their discretion on information provided to such attorney-in-fact without independent verification of such information;
- (2) any documents prepared and/or executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney will be in such form and will contain such information and disclosure as such attorney-in-fact, in his or her discretion, deems necessary or desirable;
- (3) neither the Company nor such attorney-in-fact assumes (i) any liability for the undersigned's responsibility to comply with the requirement of the Exchange Act, (ii) any liability of the undersigned for any failure to comply with such requirements, or (iii) any obligation or liability of the undersigned for profit disgorgement under Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act; and
- (4) this Power of Attorney does not relieve the undersigned from responsibility for compliance with the undersigned's obligations under the Exchange Act, including without limitation the reporting requirements under Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

The undersigned hereby gives and grants the foregoing attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or appropriate to be done in and about the foregoing matters as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if present, hereby ratifying all that such attorney-in-fact of, for and on behalf of the undersigned, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Limited Power of Attorney.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to such attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 30th day of October, 2019.

/s/ John M. Bonino
Signature

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John M. Bonino Print Name