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

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Reed Scott A. | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <br> Silvergate Capital Corp [ SI ] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |
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| 4250 EXECUTIVE SQUARE, SUITE 300 | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) $2 / 22 / 2021$ |  |
| LA JOLLA, CA 92037 <br> (City) (State) | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <br> $\mathbf{X}_{-}$Form filed by One Reporting Person <br> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Trans. Date | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 3. Trans. Code } \\ & \text { (Instr. 8) } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 4. Securities Acquired (A) } \\ & \text { or Disposed of (D) } \\ & \text { (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. <br> Ownership Form: <br> Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of <br> Indirect <br> Beneficial <br> Ownership <br> (Instr. 4) |
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|  |  |  | Code | V | Amount | (A) or <br> (D) | Price |  |  |  |
| Class A Common Stock | 2/22/2021 |  | S |  | 5000 | D | \$165 | 995000 | I | By <br> BankCap <br> Partners <br> Opportunity <br> Fund, <br> L.P. (1) |
| Class A Common Stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2500 | D |  |
| Class A Common Stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 550 | I | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \begin{array}{l} \text { By son } \\ \text { Alexander } \end{array} \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| Class A Common Stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 550 | I | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \begin{array}{l} \text { By son } \\ \text { Mitchell } \end{array} \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| Class A Common Stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 550 | I | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { By son } \\ \text { Shane } \end{array}$ |
| Class A Common Stock |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 550 | I | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l} \hline \text { By son } \\ \text { Justin } \end{array}$ |

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

| 1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3) | 2. <br> Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 3. Trans. } \\ & \text { Date } \end{aligned}$ <br> Date | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Trans. 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 |  | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative <br> Securities <br> Beneficially <br> Owned <br> Following <br> Reported <br> Transaction(s) <br> (Instr. 4) | 10. <br> Ownership <br> Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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|  |  |  |  | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date <br> Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |  |  |  |  |
| Restricted Stock Units | (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  | (3) | (3) | Class A Common Stock | 2056.0 |  | 2056 | D |  |

## Explanation of Responses:

(1) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest in the shares.
(2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock.
(3) The restricted stock units vest fully on May 29, 2021. Vested shares will be delivered within thirty days following the vesting of the restricted stock units, when, subject to any trading restriction, the reporting person will receive the number of Class A shares that corresponds to the number of restricted stock units that have become vested on the applicable vesting date, less any shares withheld to satisfy federal, state, local and foreign taxes of any kind.

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  | Director | $10 \%$ Owner | Officer |
| Reed Scott A. |  |  |  |
| 4250 EXECUTIVE SQUARE |  |  |  |
| SUITE 300 | X |  |  |

## Signatures

/s/ John M. Bonino, as Attorney-in-Fact
$\stackrel{* *}{*}$ Signature of Reporting Person

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 4(b)(v).
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