CHENG DUNSON K

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

CATHAY GENERAL BANCORP

Symbol

 $[C\Delta TV]$

1(b).

Common

Stock

05/07/2018

(Print or Type Responses)

CHENG DUNSON K

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	(Last) 777 NORT	(First) TH BROADWAY	(Middle)		Day/Year	Transactio	n		X Director X Officer (give below)		% Owner her (specify
(Street) LOS ANGELES, CA 90012			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					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)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	or Dispos (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								445,577	I	Husband & Wife Trust
	Common Stock								182,452	I	Nonmarital Share Trust
	Common Stock								102,904	I	By ESOP
	Common Stock	05/04/2018			S	10,000	D	\$ 41.1151	75,161	D	

S

13,333 D

\$41.256 61,828

D

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

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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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				~					of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			-	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

CHENG DUNSON K 777 NORTH BROADWAY LOS ANGELES, CA 90012

X Executive Chairman

Relationships

Signatures

/s/ Georgia Lo,

attorney-in-fact 05/08/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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