DALY MICHAEL P Form 4

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DALY MICHAEL P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BERKSHIRE HILLS BANCORP INC [BHLB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 24 NORTH S	(First) TREET	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2018	_X_ Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) President and CEO		
	(Street)		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		
PITTSFIELD, MA 01201				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (2	Zip) Table	e I - Noi	n-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		4. Securities on Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	04/26/2018		G	V	786	D	\$0	106,425	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2018		G	V	262	A	\$ 0	1,287	I	Joint with Mother
Common Stock								3,899	I	By Stock Award XV
Common Stock								5,513	I	By Stock Award XVI (2)
								9,628	I	

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 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Common} & \text{By Stock} \\ \text{Stock} & \text{Award} \\ & \text{XVII} \, \underline{\text{(3)}} \end{array}$

Common Stock 34,708 (4) I By 401(k)

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)

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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (D)			Share	S	

Reporting Owners

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

DALY MICHAEL P

24 NORTH STREET X President and CEO PITTSFIELD, MA 01201

Signatures

/s/ Lawrence M.F. Spaccasi, pursuant to power of attorney 04/27/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Stock Awards granted pursuant to the Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc. 2013 Equity Compensation Plan vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 30, 2017.

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- Stock Awards granted pursuant to the Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc. 2013 Equity Compensation Plan vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 30, 2018.
- (3) Stock Awards granted pursuant to the Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc. 2013 Equity Compensation Plan vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 30, 2019.
- (4) Reflects transactions not required to be reported pursuant to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.