BERKSHIRE HILLS BANCORP INC Form 3/A May 06, 2015 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Welch Glenn			 Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BERKSHIRE HILLS BANCORP INC [BHLB]				
(Last) 24 NORTH	(First)	(Middle)	04/17/2015	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 04/27/2015	
24 NORTH	(Street)						6. Individual or Joint/Group	
PITTSFIELD, MA 01201				r 10% Owner · Other w) (specify below) ve Vice President		Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	tive Securit	ies Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Na Owne (Instr	1	
Common St	ock		19,920		D	Â		
Common St	ock		9,720	9,720		By 401(k)		
Common St	ock		40	40		By UGMA-CT for Son		
Common Stock			40	40		By U	By UGMA-CT for Daughter	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 3	Director 10% Owner Of		Officer	Other			
Welch Glenn 24 NORTH STREET PITTSFIELD, MA 01201	Â	Â	Executive Vice President	Â			
Signatures							
/s/ Marc P. Levy, pursuant to power of attorney			05/06/2015				
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person			Date				

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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