

Howard Bancorp Inc  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Sachs Steven W.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

6011 UNIVERSITY BLVD., SUITE 370

(Street)

ELLICOTT CITY, MD 21043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Howard Bancorp Inc [hbmd]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/17/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	04/17/2015		X		230 A \$ 13.25	92,921	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015		X		480 A \$ 13.99	93,401	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015		X		510 A \$ 14	93,911	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015		O		300 A \$ 14.25	94,211	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015		X		260 A \$ 12.5	94,471	D

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Common Stock	04/17/2015	X	550	A	\$ 11	95,021	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015	X	110	A	\$ 11.5	95,131	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015	X	976	A	\$ 10.45	96,107	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015	X	459	A	\$ 10.2	96,566	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015	X	874	A	\$ 8.5	97,440	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015	X	1,288	A	\$ 7.65	98,728	D
Common Stock	04/17/2015	X	365	A	\$ 8.5	99,093	D

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction 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 (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 13.25	04/17/2015		X	230	10/11/2006 10/11/2016	Common Stock	230	
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 13.99	04/17/2015		X	480	01/10/2007 01/10/2017	Common Stock	480	

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Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 14	04/17/2015	X	510	04/11/2007	04/11/2017	Common Stock	510
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 14.25	04/17/2015	O	300	07/11/2007	07/11/2017	Common Stock	300
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 12.5	04/17/2015	X	260	10/09/2007	10/09/2017	Common Stock	260
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 11	04/17/2015	X	550	04/15/2008	04/15/2018	Common Stock	550
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 11.5	04/17/2015	X	110	07/15/2008	07/15/2018	Common Stock	110
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 10.45	04/17/2015	X	976	10/01/2008	10/01/2018	Common Stock	976
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 10.2	04/17/2015	X	459	12/31/2008	12/31/2018	Common Stock	459
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 8.5	04/17/2015	X	874	03/31/2009	03/31/2009	Common Stock	874
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 7.65	04/17/2015	X	1,288	06/30/2009	06/30/2019	Common Stock	1,288
	\$ 8.5	04/17/2015	X	365	09/30/2009	09/30/2019		365

Options  
to  
Purchase  
Common  
Stock

Common  
Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sachs Steven W. 6011 UNIVERSITY BLVD. SUITE 370 ELLCOTT CITY, MD 21043	X			

## Signatures

George Coffman, Attorney in Fact, for Steven W. Sachs  
04/17/2015

\_\_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).

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