

FIELDS ROBERT L
Form SC 13G/A
February 17, 2009

SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Schedule 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 4)

Sierra Bancorp

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

82620P102

(Cusip Number)

12/31/08

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1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

Robert L. Fields

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*

(A) ..

(B) ..

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

U.S.A.

NUMBER OF **5** SOLE VOTING POWER

SHARES 530,785 (includes 7,500 vested option shares)

6 SHARED VOTING POWER

BENEFICIALLY

0

OWNED BY **7** SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

EACH 530,785

8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING 0

PERSON

WITH

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

530,785

10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES *

11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

5.48%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON *

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- Item 1:** (a) Issuer:
Sierra Bancorp
- (b) Principal Executive Offices:
86 North Main Street,
Porterville, CA. 93257

- Item 2:** (a) Person Filing:
Robert L. Fields
- (b) Address:
1276 Highland Drive, Porterville, CA. 93257
- (c) Citizen of the U.S.A.
- (d) Class of Securities:
Common Stock, no par value
- (e) Cusip #82620P102

Item 3: N/A

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- Item 4:**
- (a) Total Shares Beneficially Owned:
530,785
 - (b) Percentage Ownership:
5.48%
 - (c)
 - (i) Shares with Sole Voting Power:
530,785 (includes 7,500 vested option shares)
 - (ii) Shares with Shared Voting Power:
None
 - (iii) Shares with Sole Dispositive Power:
Same shares as Item i above
 - (iv) Shares with Shared Dispositive Power:
None

Item 5: N/A

Item 6: N/A

Item 7: N/A

Item 8: N/A

Item 9: N/A

Item 10: N/A

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After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

2/13/09

Date

/s/ Robert L. Fields

Signature

Robert L. Fields

Name/Title

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