

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO FORM S-3  
REGISTRATION STATEMENT  
UNDER  
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

BancWest Corporation	Delaware	99-0156159
BancWest Capital I	Delaware	99-0351988
BancWest Capital II	Delaware	99-0351989

(Exact Name of Each Registrant as Specified in its Charter)	(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)
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999 Bishop Street  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813  
(808) 525-7000

(Address, including Zip Code, and Telephone Number, including Area Code,  
of Registrant's Principal Executive Offices)

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including Area Code, of Agent for Service)

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Approximate Date of Commencement of Proposed Sale to the Public: Not applicable.

If the only securities being registered on this form are being offered pursuant to dividend or reinvestment plans, please check the following box.

If any of the securities being registered on this form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933 other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or reinvestment plans, check the following box.

If this form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If delivery of the prospectus is expected to be made pursuant to Rule 434, please check the following box.

DEREGISTRATION OF SECURITIES

333-48552-01) was originally filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") on October 25, 2000 by the Registrants (the "Registration Statement"). The total principal amount of securities registered by the Registrants under the Registration Statement was \$300,000,000, of which \$150,000,000 remain unsold. On December 20, 2001, BancWest Corporation merged with a subsidiary of BNP Paribas, as a result of which BancWest Corporation became a wholly owned subsidiary of BNP Paribas. The offering of the securities by the Registrants has subsequently been terminated.

Pursuant to the undertaking of the Registrants contained in the section in Part II of the Registration Statement entitled "Undertakings", the Registrants hereby request that the unsold Capital Securities, Guarantees, and Junior Subordinated Debentures be removed from registration by means of this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1.

The Registrants intend to carry forward any excess registration fees they paid in connection with the Registration Statement to be used in future registrations pursuant to Rule 457(p) under the Securities Act.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the undersigned registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Honolulu, State of Hawaii, on February 24, 2003.

BANCWEST CORPORATION

By: /s/ WALTER A. DODS, JR.

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Walter A. Dods, Jr.  
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement has been signed on February 24, 2003 by the following persons in the capacities indicated.

Signature	Title
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/s/ WALTER A. DODS, JR. ----- Walter A. Dods, Jr.	Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and Director
/s/ DOUGLAS C. GRIGSBY ----- Douglas C. Grigsby	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)
*s/ JACQUES ARDANT ----- Jacques Ardant	Director
*s/ JULIA ANN FROHLICH ----- Julia Ann Frohlich	Director
*s/ ROBERT A. FUHRMAN ----- Robert A. Fuhrman	Director
*s/ PAUL MULLIN GANLEY ----- Paul Mullin Ganley	Director
*s/ DAVID M. HAIG ----- David M. Haig	Director

* /s/	JOHN A. HOAG	Director
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	John A. Hoag	
* /s/	BERT T. KOBAYASHI, JR.	Director
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	Bert T. Kobayashi, Jr.	
* /s/	MICHEL LARROUILH	Director
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	Michel Larrouilh	
* /s/	PIERRE MARIANI	Director
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	Pierre Mariani	
* /s/	FUJIO MATSUDA	Director
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	Fujio Matsuda	
* /s/	DON J. MCGRATH	President, Chief Operating Officer and Director
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	Don J. McGrath	
* /s/	RODNEY R. PECK	Director
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	Rodney R. Peck	
* /s/	JOHN K. TSUI	Director
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	John K. Tsui	
* /s/	JACQUES HENRI WAHL	Director
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	Jacques Henry Wahl	
* /s/	ROBERT C. WO	Director
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	Robert C. Wo	

\* By Power of Attorney

/s/ WALTER A. DODS, JR.	Attorney-In-Fact
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Name: Walter A. Dods, Jr.	

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, each of the undersigned registrants certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Honolulu, State of Hawaii, on February 24, 2003.

BANCWEST CAPITAL I

By: BANCWEST CORPORATION, as Sponsor

By: /s/ WALTER A. DODS, JR.

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Name: Walter A. Dods, Jr.  
Title: Chairman and Chief Executive  
Officer

BANCWEST CAPITAL II

By: BANCWEST CORPORATION, as Sponsor

By: /s/ WALTER A. DODS, JR.

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Name: Walter A. Dods, Jr.  
Title: Chairman and Chief Executive  
Officer