

Nightingale Timothy P  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Nightingale Timothy P		(Month/Day/Year)	CAMDEN NATIONAL CORP [CAC]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/27/2009	
2 ELM STREET, PO BOX 310			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
CAMDEN, ME 04843			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
			(give title below)	(specify below)
			Senior Vice President	
				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
				<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	661	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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

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 Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee stock option (right to buy)	01/28/2003	01/28/2013	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 23.08	D	Â
Employee stock option (right to buy)	Â (1)	01/25/2015	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 36.69	D	Â
Employee stock option (right to buy)	Â (2)	02/13/2016	Common Stock	1,500	\$ 34.95	D	Â
Employee stock option (right to buy)	Â (3)	02/12/2017	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 44.51	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Nightingale Timothy P 2 ELM STREET PO BOX 310 CAMDEN, ME 04843	Â	Â	Â Senior Vice President	Â

## Signatures

Eric Boucher, as Power of Attorney 02/02/2009

    Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) Exercisable as follows: 500 on 1/25/06, 500 on 1/25/07, 500 on 1/25/08, 500 on 1/25/09, and 500 on 1/25/10
- (2) Exercisable as follows: 300 on 2/13/07, 300 on 2/13/08, 300 on 2/13/09, 300 on 2/13/10, and 300 on 2/13/11
- (3) Exercisable as follows: 400 on 2/12/08, 400 on 2/12/09, 400 on 2/12/10, 400 on 2/12/11, and 400 on 2/12/12

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