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CEDAR RAPIDS, IAÂ 52407-3909

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-Der	ivative Sec	curitie	s Acqu	ired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally 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. Securit (A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	l of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/20/2009	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	1,380	А	\$0	74,714	Ι	by children
Common Stock	06/08/2009	Â	W <u>(2)</u>	623	А	\$ 0	519,863	Ι	by family foundation
Common Stock	01/12/2010	Â	W <u>(3)</u>	25,312	А	\$0	234,086	Ι	by spouse
Common	01/12/2010	Â	W <u>(3)</u>	50,624	D	\$0	0	Ι	by spouse

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securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.			tly. containe	Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unler the form displays a currently valid OMB control number					less (9-02)		
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)	ative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Dat ity or Exercise any		Execution Date, if	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Number Expiration Date of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D S B O E I S Fi (I
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
Drahozal Christopher R 118 SECOND AVENUE SE P.O. BOX 73909 CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52407-3909	ÂX	Â	Â	Â			
Signatures							

/s/ Christopher R. Drahozal by Dianne M. Lyons, Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

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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Date

- (1) Represents a gift of Company common stock received by Mr. Drahozal's children.
- (2) Represents a distribution of Comany common stock by the estate of Mildred R. McIntyre to the family charitable foundation.
- (3) Represents a distribution of Company common stock from the estate of J. Scott McIntyre Jr. through his irrevocable trust for which Mr. Drahozal's wife served as one of two trustees.

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