

BECKSTEAD J. LYNN JR.
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FORM 4

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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 *
BECKSTEAD J. LYNN JR.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SECURITY NATIONAL FINANCIAL CORP [SNFCA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
190 NORTH MATTERHORN DRIVE
(Street)
ALPINE, UT 84004
(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/03/2010

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
V.P. - Mortgage Operations

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

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 | |
| Class A Common Stock | 02/04/2011 | | J ⁽¹⁾ | V | 2,171 | A | \$ | 45,589 ⁽²⁾ 1.74 | 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)

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| 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 3.99 ⁽³⁾ | 03/21/2003 | | A | 22,162 ₍₃₎ | 03/21/2003 03/21/2013 | Class A Common Stock | 22,162 ₍₃₎ |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 2.3 ⁽⁴⁾ | 12/10/2004 | | A | 7,036 ₍₄₎ | 12/10/2004 12/10/2014 | Class A Common Stock | 7,036 ₍₄₎ |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 2.62 ⁽⁵⁾ | 03/25/2005 | | A | 46,903 ₍₅₎ | 03/25/2005 03/25/2015 | Class A Common Stock | 46,903 ₍₅₎ |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 3.33 ⁽⁶⁾ | 03/31/2008 | | A | 9,261 ₍₆₎ | 03/31/2009 03/31/2018 | Class A Common Stock | 9,261 ₍₆₎ |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 1.3 ⁽⁷⁾ | 12/05/2008 | | A | 23,153 ₍₇₎ | 12/05/2009 12/05/2018 | Class A Common Stock | 23,153 ₍₇₎ |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 3.19 ⁽⁸⁾ | 12/04/2009 | | A | 22,050 ₍₈₎ | 03/31/2010 12/04/2019 | Class A Common Stock | 22,050 ₍₈₎ |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 1.66 ⁽⁹⁾ | 12/03/2010 | | A | 21,000 ₍₉₎ | 03/31/2011 ⁽⁹⁾ 12/03/2020 | Class A Common Stock | 21,000 ₍₉₎ |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BECKSTEAD J. LYNN JR. 190 NORTH MATTERHORN DRIVE ALPINE, UT 84004 | X | | V.P. - Mortgage Operations | |

Signatures

/s/ J. Lynn
Beckstead Jr. 03/11/2011

__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).

(1) Received pursuant to a 5% stock dividend paid on February 4, 2011.

Owned jointly by the reporting person and his wife. Does not include 134,562 shares of Class A Common Stock owned indirectly by the reporting person in the 401(k) Retirement Savings Plan, the Employee Stock Ownership Plan (ESOP), and the Deferred Compensation Plan.

(3) This option was originally reported as covering 15,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$5.90 per share, but adjusted to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on January 19, 2004, February 7, 2005, February 17, 2006, February 9, 2007, February 8, 2008, February 6, 2009, February 5, 2010 and February 4, 2011.

(4) This option was originally reported as covering 5,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$3.23 per share, but adjusted to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 7, 2005, February 17, 2006, February 9, 2007, February 8, 2008, February 6, 2009, February 5, 2010 and February 4, 2011.

(5) This option was originally reported as covering 35,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$3.51 per share, but adjusted to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 17, 2006, February 9, 2007, February 8, 2008, February 6, 2009, February 5, 2010 and February 4, 2011.

(6) This option was originally reported as covering 8,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$3.85 per share, but adjusted to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 6, 2009 February 5, 2010 and February 4, 2011.

(7) This option was originally reported as covering 20,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$1.50 per share, but adjusted to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 6, 2009 February 5, 2010 and February 4, 2011.

(8) his option was granted on December 4, 2009 for 20,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$3.52 per share, but adjusted to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 5, 2010 and February 4, 2011.

(9) This option was granted on December 3, 2010 for 20,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$1.74 per share, but adjusted to reflect a 5% stock dividend paid on February 4, 2011. This option vests in four equal quarterly installments of Class A Common Stock, beginning on March 31, 2011, until such shares are fully vested.

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