MUHLEISEN ANGIE

Form 4

Class A

Stock Class A

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Common

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December 22, 2010

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(Print or Type	e Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MUHLEISEN ANGIE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				-5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			NELNET INC [NNI]					(Check all applicable)			
` ′				3. Date of Earliest Transaction [Month/Day/Year)				DirectorX 10% Owner			
	MERS & MERCH IENT INC., 6801 REET		12/20/	2010			b	Officer (give to elow)	itleOthe below)	r (specify	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original				6	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Non-D	erivative (Securi	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			(D) (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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Class A Common Stock	12/20/2010			Code V $S_{(1)(2)}$	Amount 10,000	(D)	Price \$ 22.9233	1,154,390	I	By spouse	

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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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	1
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						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
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				Code '	V (A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MUHLEISEN ANGIE C/O FARMERS & MERCHANTS INVESTMENT INC. 6801 SOUTH 27TH STREET LINCOLN, NE 68512

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Signatures

/s/ Angie R. Miller, Attorney-in-Fact for Angela L. Muhleisen

12/22/2010

**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).
- These shares were sold by Dan Muhleisen pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan (the "Plan") entered into on May 12, 2010, which provides for the sale of shares of the issuer's Class A Common Stock, subject to limit price provisions and an expiration date of August 13, 2011. To the extent any future sales occur pursuant to the Plan, such sales will be publicly disclosed in Form 4 filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC").
- Rule 10b5-1, promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, allows significant shareholders of a company who are not in possession of material non-public information to establish pre-arranged plans to buy or sell a specified number of shares of such company's stock. Once a plan is established, the shareholder does not retain or exercise any discretion over sales of stock under the plan and the pre-planned trades may be executed at later dates as set forth in the plan.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$22.70 to \$23.00 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within such range.
- (4) These shares include 88,864 shares that the reporting person holds jointly with her spouse.
- Shares held by Farmers & Merchants Investment Inc. ("F&M"), of which the reporting person is a director, executive officer and owns or controls approximately 38.5% of the outstanding voting stock. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by F&M, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by F&M except to the extent of her pecuniary interests therein.
- Shares held by the Angela L. Muhleisen Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated August 29, 2003. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of her pecuniary interests therein.
- Shares held by the Dan D. Muhleisen Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated August 29, 2003. The reporting person continues to report beneficial ownership of all the shares held by the trust, but disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust except to the extent of her pecuniary interests therein.

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