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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BESSE DAWN A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CITIZENS & NORTHERN CORP	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
			[CZNC]	(2)			
(Last) (I	,		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/29/2009	Director 10% Owner Selection Officer (give title below) below) Executive Vice President			
(\$	Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
WELLSBORO, F	PA 16901			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Be	eneficially Owned			
1.Title of	2. Transaction Dat	e 2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature			

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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/29/2009		J <u>(1)</u> V	1	A	\$ 17.01	2,197 (2)	D	
Common Stock							3,099 (3)	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exer		7. Title		8. Price of	9. Nu
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					(A) or						Repo
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					4, and 5)						
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
						Excicisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer 10% Owner Other Director

BESSE DAWN A Executive 726 FISCHLER STREET EXT Vice WELLSBORO, PA 16901 President

Signatures

Teri L. Mitchell for Dawn A. Besse under Power of Attorney dated 12/30/2009 07/23/09.

> **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) Dividend of 12/29/09 posted to D/R Account
- (2) Total Retirement Plan Holdings
- (3) Total Holdings including Retirement Plan shares, but not Restricted Stock

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