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FORM 4

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A BESSE DA	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CITIZENS & NORTHERN CORP [CZNC]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last) 726 FISCH	(Moret) (Moret) (Street) 4. If Filed			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2010					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President			
WELLSBO	(Street) RO, PA 16901			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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									lly Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Y			Code (D)				5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	01/04/2010			A(1)	72	D	\$ 9.63	198	D			
Common	01/04/2010			J(2)	72	A	\$ 9.63	3,171 <u>(3)</u>	D			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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						Excicisable			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 7/23/09.

01/05/2010

**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).
- (1) Release of Restricted Stock granted under Stock Incentive Plan
- (2) Restricted Stock reissued to personal holdings
- (3) Total Holdings including Retirement Plan shares, but not Restricted Stock

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