REEDY CHRISTOPHER J

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * REEDY CHRISTOPHER J

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

BUTLER NATIONAL CORP [buks]

(Middle)

(Check all applicable)

12708 W. 161ST

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2010

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) Vice President

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

OVERLAND PARK, KS 66062

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(A)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

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(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.49	12/31/2010		A	130,000		<u>(1)</u>	12/31/2015	Common Stock	130,00
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.49	12/31/2010		A	130,000		<u>(2)</u>	12/31/2015	Common Stock	130,00
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.49	12/31/2010		A	130,000		(3)	12/31/2015	Common Stock	130,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
REEDY CHRISTOPHER J 12708 W. 161ST OVERLAND PARK, KS 66062			Vice President				

Signatures

/s/ Christopher J.

Reedy 01/04/2011

**Signature of Reporting Date

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).
- The option vests upon satisfaction, either simultaneously or separately, of both (a) the date being December 31, 2011 or later and (b) the (1) close of the Company's common stock at a market price at or above \$0.92 on any date between December 31, 2010 and December 31, 2015.
- The option vests upon satisfaction, either simultaneously or separately, of both (a) the date being December 31, 2012 or later and (b) the (2) close of the Company's common stock at a market price at or above \$1.41 on any date between December 31, 2010 and December 31, 2015.
- (3) The option vests upon satisfaction, either simultaneously or separately, of both (a) the date being December 31, 2013 or later and (b) the close of the Company's common stock at a market price at or above \$1.90 on any date between December 31, 2010 and December 31,

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2015.

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