

STEINBERG JOSEPH S
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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 *
STEINBERG JOSEPH S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORP
[LUK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/06/2009

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President

C/O LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION, 315 PARK AVENUE SOUTH

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10010

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Shares	10/06/2009		S		55,000	D	\$ 24.34 <u>(1)</u>	23,170,336	I	See explanation <u>(2)</u>
Common Shares	10/07/2009		S		55,000	D	\$ 23.76 <u>(3)</u>	23,115,336	I	See explanation <u>(2)</u>
Common Shares								2,452,215	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 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STEINBERG JOSEPH S C/O LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORPORATION 315 PARK AVENUE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10010	X	X	President	

Signatures

/s/ Laura E. Ulbrandt, Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph S. Steinberg
 **Signature of Reporting Person
 10/08/2009
 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) Reflects weighted average per share price of separately priced transactions at a range of \$24.03-\$24.45. Upon the request of the Commission or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided to the requesting party.
- (2) Consists of shares held by corporations that are wholly owned by the Reporting Person or by a family trust as to which the Reporting Person has sole voting and dispositive control, 2,339,712 shares held in a trust for the benefit of the Reporting Person's children and 139,200 shares held by the Reporting Person's wife and daughter.
- (3) Reflects weighted average per share price of separately priced transactions at a range of \$23.55-\$23.91. Upon the request of the Commission or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided to the requesting party.

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