

Stephens Jeffrey Russell
Form 4
March 30, 2010

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Stephens Jeffrey Russell

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SECURITY NATIONAL
FINANCIAL CORP [SNFCA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
5300 SOUTH 360 WEST, SUITE
250

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/04/2009

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
General Counsel, Corporate Sec

(Street)
SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84123

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

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
Class A Common Stock	12/04/2009		A		0	A	\$ 0 0 ⁽¹⁾

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)

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.36 ⁽²⁾	12/05/2008		A	1,103 ⁽²⁾	12/05/2009 12/09/2018	Class A Common Stock	1,103 ⁽²⁾
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.35 ⁽³⁾	12/04/2009		A	5,250 ⁽³⁾	03/31/2010 ⁽³⁾ 12/10/2019	Class A Common Stock	5,250 ⁽³⁾

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stephens Jeffrey Russell 5300 SOUTH 360 WEST SUITE 250 SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84123			General Counsel, Corporate Sec	

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey Russell
Stephens
03/30/2010

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) Does not include 11,113 shares of Class A Common Stock owned indirectly by the reporting person in the 401(k) Retirement Savings Plan.
- (2) This option was originally granted as covering 1,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$1.50 per share, but adjusted to reflect 5% stock dividends paid on February 6, 2009 and February 5, 2010.
- (3) This option was granted on December 4, 2009 for 5,000 shares of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$3.52 per share, but adjusted to reflect a 5% stock dividend paid on February 5, 2010. This option vests in four equal quarterly installments of Class A

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Common Stock, beginning on March 31, 2010, until such shares are fully vested.

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