#### ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC

Form 4

November 16, 2009

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* MURPHY NORA BALOGH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Symbol

ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC

(Check all applicable)

[ETH]

(Last) (First)

ETHAN ALLEN DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Month/Day/Year)

11/12/2009

below) EVP, Style & Advertising

(Street)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original 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

Person

DANBURY, CT 06811

(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) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(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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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 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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(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired

Derivative (A) or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration

Title Amount Date

Number of

Shares

7,000

Common Common 11/12/2013(1) 11/12/2019 \$ 11.74 11/12/2009 Α 7,000 Stock Stock

# **Reporting Owners**

Price of

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

MURPHY NORA BALOGH ETHAN ALLEN DRIVE DANBURY, CT 06811

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# **Signatures**

(Instr. 3)

Nora J. Murphy 11/16/2009 \*\*Signature of Date Reporting 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).
- (1) Options vest 25% per year over four years pursuant to an Option Agreement and are fully vested in four years.

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