Nightingale Timothy P Form 4 March 19, 2013

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Nightingale Timothy P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CAMDEN NATIONAL CORP [CAC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 2 ELM STRE	(First) ET / PO BO	(Middle) X 310	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2013	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP		
	(Street)		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		
CAMDEN, ME US 04843				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D) 4 and (A) or) 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	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/15/2013		A	801	A	(1)	13,233.89	D	

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

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

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.69					01/25/2010	01/25/2015	Common Stock	2,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.95					02/13/2011	02/13/2016	Common Stock	1,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.51					02/12/2012	02/12/2017	Common Stock	2,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.46					<u>(2)</u>	02/24/2019	Common Stock	2,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Nightingale Timothy P 2 ELM STREET / PO BOX 310 CAMDEN, ME US 04843			EVP			

Signatures

Susan

M.Westfall, POA 03/19/2013

Date

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**Signature of 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) Granted under the Defined Contribution Retirement Plan, therefore, price is N/A.
- (2) Options are exercisable as follows: 2000 shares 2/24/13, 500 shares 2/24/14

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