#### ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Stout Lynda

ETHAN ALLEN INTERIORS INC

(Check all applicable)

[ETH]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

11/12/2009

VP, Retail

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

DANBURY, CT 06811

ETHAN ALLEN DRIVE

(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)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

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

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 8)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(A) (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

Common Stock \$ 11.74 11/12/2009 A 5,000 11/12/2013(1) 11/12/2019 Common Stock 5,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Price of

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Stout Lynda

(Instr. 3)

ETHAN ALLEN DRIVE VP, Retail

DANBURY, CT 06811

# **Signatures**

Lynda W. Stout 11/16/2009

\*\*Signature of Person 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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