

CAMDEN NATIONAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 28, 2010

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

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**  
Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): 12/28/2010**

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**Camden National Corporation**  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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<b>Maine</b> (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	<b>01-28190</b> (Commission File Number)	<b>01-0413282</b> (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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<b>Two Elm Street, Camden, Maine</b> (Address of principal executive offices)	<b>04843</b> (Zip Code)
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**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (207) 236-8821**

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Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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**Item Other Events**

**8.01**

Camden National Corporation (the “Company”) issued a press release on 12/28/2010, declaring a quarterly dividend of \$0.25 per share payable on 1/31/2011 for shareholders of record on 01/14/2011.

**Item Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**9.01**

(d) The following exhibit is filed with this Report:

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Dividend Press Release issued by Camden National Corporation on 12/28/2010

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: 12/28/2010

CAMDEN NATIONAL CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ DEBORAH A. JORDAN  
Deborah A. Jordan  
Chief Financial Officer and Principal  
Financial & Accounting Officer