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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement National Bank Holdings Corp [NBHC] Dean Robert E (Month/Day/Year) 09/19/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 5570 DTC PARKWAY 09/19/2012 (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Officer _ Other (give title below) (specify below) **GREENWOOD** Form filed by More than One VILLAGE, Â COÂ 80111 Reporting Person (State) (City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock D 21,667 (1) Ι Common Stock 2,000 By Dean Family Trust Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	10/20/2019	Common Stock	38,333	\$ 20	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	10/11/2018	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 20	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Dean Robert E 5570 DTC PARKWAY GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111	ÂΧ	Â	Â	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Mark W. Yonkman, as
attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Total includes 12,083 shares of unvested restricted stock granted under the National Bank Holdings Corporation 2009 Equity Incentive (1) Plan, 9,583 of which are scheduled to vest on October 20, 2012, 1,250 of which are scheduled to vest on October 11, 2013 and 1,250 of which are scheduled to vest on October 11, 2014.
- (2) Granted under the National Bank Holdings Corporation 2009 Equity Incentive Plan. Stock option award is time-vested with 1/2 having vested on October 20, 2011 and the remaining half vesting on October 20, 2012.
- (3) Granted under the National Bank Holdings Corporation 2009 Equity Incentive Plan. Stock option award is time-vested with 1/2 vesting on October 11, 2013 and the remaining half vesting on October 11, 2014.

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