LEVINE JEFFREY L

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEVINE JEFFREY L | | | _ | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
| | | | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| (Last) | (First) (M | (Mont | 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2009 | | | | | title 10% Owner Other (specify below) | | |
| 2615 DUNH | IOLLOW DR | 12/31 | 1200) | | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting | | | |
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| (City) | (State) | Zip) T | able I - Non-Der | ivative Sec | urities | Acqui | ired, Disposed of | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned | |
| (Instr. 3) any | | Execution Date, | on Date, if Transaction Code | | sposed 4 and 3 | of | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/07/2009 | Â | A4 | 2,800 | A | | 19,184 | D | Â | |
| Common Stock | 12/31/2009 | Â | L | 12,278 | A | \$ (2) | 19,184 | D | Â | |
| Common Stock | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 19,184 | D | Â | |
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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 (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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|-----|-------|--|-----------------|--|---------------------------|
| | | | | | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amo or Num of Sh |
| Warrants | Â | 12/07/2009 | Â | J4 (1) | Â | 2,800 | 11/16/2012 | 11/16/2017 | Common Stock | 2,8 |
| Warrants | \$ 2.5 (4) | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 11/07/2006 | 12/08/2014(4) | Common Stock | 2,1 |
| Warrant | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | (5) | 11/16/2017 | Common Stock | 11,2 |
| Options | \$ 1.5 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 05/09/2007 | 05/09/2012 | Common Stock | 1,4 |
| Options | \$ 1.5 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 05/09/2008 | 05/09/2013 | Common Stock | 1,4 |
| Options | \$ 1.5 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 05/09/2009 | 05/09/2014 | Common Stock | 1,4 |
| Options | \$ 1.5 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 05/09/2010 | 05/09/2015 | Common Stock | 1,4 |
| Options | \$ 1.5 | Â | Â | Â | Â | Â | 05/09/2011 | 05/09/2016 | Common Stock | 1,4 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Transfer and the same | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| LEVINE JEFFREY L 2615 DUNHOLLOW DR SPRINGFIELD, OH 45503 | ÂX | Â | Â | Â | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | |
| Carol Groeber by power of attorney | 02/15/2010 | | | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | | Date | | | | | |

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- * 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).
- On August 15, 2008 the shareholders approved an incentive plan which granted warrants to certain officers and directors. The warrants vested over a five year period. On December 8, 2009 the shareholders approved an amendment to the incentive plan to eliminate 218,461 unvested warrants. The amendment further called for 218,461 shares of the company's common stock with a one year restriction on transfer to be issued.
- (2) Shares were purchased throughout 2009 at various prices by participation in the AdCare Health Systems Employee Stock Purchase Program.
- (3) The exercise price of the warrants was based upon the average closing price of the Company's common stock on NYSE-Ames during January 2011 but was not less than \$3.00 per share.
- (4) On December 21, 2009 the warrant holders voted to amend the warrant agreement to decrease the exercise price from \$5.40 to \$2.50 and to extend the expiration date to 12/8/2014 the fifth anniversary date of the Company's private offering.
- (5) The exercise of the warrants vested in 2008 was \$1.21 per share, those vested in 2009 was \$2.25, those vested in 2010 was \$3.00 and those vesting in 2011 is \$4.00 per share.

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