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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

KLINE JOHN R

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ILDIN D COIN (IC			CNO Financial Group, Inc. [CNO]					(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 11825 N. PENNSYLVANIA STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2013					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP & Chief Acctg Officer				
CARMEL,	(Street) 4. If Filed CARMEL, IN 46032				Oate Origina ear)	al	A 	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non	-Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of		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)		
Common Stock	03/04/2013			S	25,000	D	\$ 10.8094	56,461	D			
Common Stock	03/04/2013			M	21,000	A	\$ 10.55	77,461	D			
Common Stock	03/04/2013			S	20,770	D	\$ 10.841	56,691	D			
Common Stock	03/04/2013			M	7,000	A	\$ 10.02	63,691	D			
Common Stock	03/04/2013			S	6,686	D	\$ 10.8421	57,005	D			

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Common Stock	03/04/2013	M	8,000	A	\$ 1.13	65,005	D
Common Stock	03/04/2013	S	3,173	D	\$ 10.8401	61,832	D
Common Stock	03/04/2013	M	20,000	A	\$ 3.05	81,832	D
Common Stock	03/04/2013	S	10,348	D	\$ 10.8383	71,484	D
Common Stock	03/04/2013	M	13,500	A	\$ 6.45	84,984	D
Common Stock	03/04/2013	S	9,867	D	\$ 10.8216	75,117	D

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 (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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A) (A	D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 10.55	03/04/2013		M	21,	,000	<u>(1)</u>	04/01/2013	Common Stock	21,000
Stock Option	\$ 10.02	03/04/2013		M	7,0	000	(2)	06/26/2013	Common Stock	7,000
Stock Option	\$ 1.13	03/04/2013		M	8,0	000	(3)	04/02/2014	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option	\$ 3.05	03/04/2013		M	20,	,000	<u>(4)</u>	05/12/2014	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Option	\$ 6.45	03/04/2013		M	13,	,500	<u>(5)</u>	03/18/2017	Common Stock	13,500

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KLINE JOHN R 11825 N. PENNSYLVANIA STREET CARMEL, IN 46032

SVP & Chief Acctg Officer

Signatures

Karl W. Kindig, Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) One-half of these options vested on April 1, 2010 and the other one-half vested on April 1, 2011.
- (2) One-half of these options vested on June 26, 2010 and the other one-half vested on June 26, 2011.
- (3) One-half of these options vested on April 2, 2011 and the other one-half vested on April 2, 2012.
- (4) One-half of these options vested on May 12, 2011 and the other one-half vested on May 12, 2012.
- (5) One-half of these options vested on March 18, 2012 and the other one-half vests on March 18, 2013.

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