#### CITY NATIONAL CORP

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GOLDSMITH RUSSELL D			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CITY NATIONAL CORP [CYN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chech an appheacie)		
400 N. ROXBURY DRIVE		Ξ	(Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2010	X DirectorX 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
BEVERLY HII	LLS, CA 90	210	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of (4 and 5 (A) or	5)	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	00/10/0010		Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	· ·	<b>.</b>	
Stock	02/10/2010		M	20,000	A	\$ 27.06	259,720	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2010		S	1,502	D	\$ 47	258,218	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2010		S	700	D	\$ 47.01	257,518	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2010		S	300	D	\$ 47.02	257,218	D	
Common Stock	02/10/2010		S	700	D	\$ 47.03	256,518	D	

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Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	700	D	\$ 47.05	255,818	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	400	D	\$ 47.055	255,418	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	30	D	\$ 47.06	255,388	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	1,700	D	\$ 47.07	253,688	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	200	D	\$ 47.075	253,488	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	600	D	\$ 47.08	252,888	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	755	D	\$ 47.09	252,133	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	400	D	\$ 47.1	251,733	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	1,870	D	\$ 47.11	249,863	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	600	D	\$ 47.12	249,263	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	400	D	\$ 47.16	248,863	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 47.165	248,763	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 47.17	248,663	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 47.18	248,563	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 47.19	248,463	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	200	D	\$ 47.2	248,263	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	300	D	\$ 47.205	247,963	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	700	D	\$ 47.21	247,263	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 47.22	247,163	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	700	D	\$ 47.23	246,463	D
	02/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 47.24	246,363	D

Common Stock						
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	400	D	\$ 47.25 245,963	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	643	D	\$ 47.26 245,320	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	200	D	\$ 47.27 245,120	D
Common Stock	02/10/2010	S	300	D	\$ 47.28 244,820	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration I (Month/Day	Date	7. Title and Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right To Buy)	\$ 27.06	02/10/2010		M	20,000	<u>(1)</u>	02/22/2010	Common Stock	20,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GOLDSMITH RUSSELL D							
400 N. ROXBURY DRIVE	X	X	President and CEO				
BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90210							

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## **Signatures**

Michael B. Cahill, Attorney-in-Fact 02/12/2010

\*\*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) The stock option vested in four equal installments beginning February 22, 2001.

#### **Remarks:**

Filing 1 of 2 to report additional beneficial ownership of reporting person.

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