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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Maloney Thomas J.

C/O LINCOLNSHIRE

(Last)

THIRD AVE.

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

08/03/2009

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WABASH NATIONAL CORP /DE [WNC]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

X Director __X__ 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting

Person

X Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

(Street)

MANAGEMENT INC., Â 780

NEW YORK. NYÂ 10017

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities

Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially 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)

Date

Exercisable

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security

4. 5 Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of Derivative Price of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

(Instr. 4)

Title Amount or Number of Derivative Security: Security Direct (D)

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

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Shares or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Warrant 08/03/2009 08/03/2019 Common Stock 24,762,636 \$ 0.01 I See Footnotes (1) (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Maloney Thomas J. C/O LINCOLNSHIRE MANAGEMENT INC. 780 THIRD AVE. NEW YORK, NY 10017	ÂX	ÂX	Â	Â
Lincolnshire Equity III, LLC C/O LINCOLNSHIRE MANAGEMENT INC. 780 THIRD AVE. NEW YORK, NY 10017	Â	ÂX	Â	Â
Lincolnshire Equity Partners III, L.P. C/O LINCOLNSHIRE MANAGEMENT INC. 780 THIRD AVE. NEW YORK, NY 10017	Â	ÂX	Â	Â
Lincolnshire Equity Fund III, L.P. C/O LINCOLNSHIRE MANAGEMENT INC. 780 THIRD AVE. NEW YORK, NY 10017	Â	ÂΧ	Â	Â
Trailer Investments, LLC C/O LINCOLNSHIRE MANAGEMENT INC. 780 THIRD AVE. NEW YORK, NY 10017	Â	ÂX	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ Thomas J.
Maloney

**Signature of Reporting Person

08/11/2009

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- Thomas J. Maloney ("Mr. Maloney") holds a majority of the voting power of Lincolnshire Equity III, LLC ("Equity III"). Equity III is the
- general partner of Lincolnshire Equity Partners III, L.P., which is the general partner of Lincolnshire Equity Fund III, L.P., which is the (1) the sole member of Trailer Investments, LLC ("Trailer"), which directly owns the warrant disclosed above. By virtue of his relationship with Equity III, Mr. Maloney may be deemed to have voting and dispositive power with respect to the 24,762,636 shares beneficially owned by Trailer.
- (2) Mr. Maloney disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by each of the entities referred to in the foregoing footnote except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Reporting Owners 2

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