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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Huffman Dale

(Last)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Thompson Creek Metals CO Inc.

[TC]

(Middle)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2009

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

VP, General Counsel & Sec.

(Check all applicable)

C/O THOMPSON CREEK METALS COMPANY, 26 WEST DRY CREEK CIRCLE, SUITE 810

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

LITTLETON, CO 80120

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

3. 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of TransactionAcquired (A) or Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Form: Direct (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 16,725 I **IRA** Shares

Common Spouse 2,275 I Shares **IRA**

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option Grant	\$ 12.14	12/14/2009		A	35,000	<u>(1)</u>	12/02/2014	Common Shares	35,000

Deletionships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Huffman Dale			VP,			
C/O THOMPSON CREEK METALS COMPANY			General			
26 WEST DRY CREEK CIRCLE, SUITE 810			Counsel &			
LITTLETON, CO 80120			Sec.			

Signatures

/s/ Dale Huffman

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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) Options vest one-third immediately, December 2, 2009; one-third on December 2, 2010 and one-third on December 2, 2011.

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