CORNELIO CHARLES C

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

CORNELIO CHARLES C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

LINCOLN NATIONAL CORP

[LNC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle)

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

150 N. RADNOR-CHESTER ROAD 07/02/2010

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

below)

President - Defined Contrib.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

(Instr. 4)

D

(Instr. 4)

Person

RADNOR, PA 19087

(State)

07/02/2010

(City)

Common

Stock

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

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

579 (1) A

\$0

Code V Amount (D) Price

A

Common 684.39 I By 401(k) Stock

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)

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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer 10% Owner Other Director

> > President -

Defined

Contrib.

CORNELIO CHARLES C 150 N. RADNOR-CHESTER ROAD RADNOR, PA 19087

Signatures

/s/ Nancy A. Smith, 07/06/2010 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).

These shares represent a portion of the reporting person's bi-weekly salary for the most recent pay period in compliance with the Capital (1) Purchase Program and were issued under the 2009 Amended and Restated LNC Incentive Compensation Plan. For more information, please see the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by LNC on November 6, 2009.

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