

Ewald Bruce N
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Ewald Bruce N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 WABASH NATIONAL CORP /DE [WNC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 ___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Sr. VP - Sales and Marketing

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 1000 SAGAMORE PARKWAY SOUTH
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 04/03/2013

LAFAYETTE, IN 47905

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 04/03/2013 ⁽¹⁾ | | M | | 17,000 | A | \$ 7.44 |
| Common Stock | 04/03/2013 | | D | | 17,000 | D | \$ 9.93 |
| Common Stock | 04/03/2013 ⁽¹⁾ | | M | | 23,000 | A | \$ 7.44 |
| Common Stock | 04/03/2013 | | D | | 23,000 | D | \$ 7.44 |

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Stock Appreciation Right | \$ 7.44 | 04/03/2013 | | M | 17,000 | 03/25/2013 03/25/2020 | Common Stock | 17,000 |
| Performance Unit | \$ 7.44 | 04/03/2013 | | M | 23,000 | 03/25/2013 03/25/2020 | Common stock | 23,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Ewald Bruce N 1000 SAGAMORE PARKWAY SOUTH LAFAYETTE, IN 47905 | | | Sr. VP - Sales and Marketing | |

Signatures

Bruce N. Ewald 04/05/2013
 **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) Amount payable was made to individual on 4/3/2013 based upon the vesting of that right on 3/25/2013.
 Stock Appreciation Right. Vested on 3/25/2013. Vested rights were paid in cash on 4/3/2013 based upon the difference in the closing price of the Company's common stock on the date of grant (\$7.44, on March 25, 2010) and on the date of vesting (\$9.93, on March 25, 2013).
- (3) Performance Unit Award. Vested on 3/25/2013. Vested rights were paid in cash based upon the closing price of the Company's common stock on the date of grant (\$7.44, on March 25, 2010). Performance Unit grant conditions required payment based upon the lesser of

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\$7.44 or the closing price of the Company's common stock on the date of vesting (\$9.93, on March 25, 2013).

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