HEIMES TERRY J

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HEIMES TERRY J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NELNET INC [NNI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) (First) (Middle)		dle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)				
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner				
121 SOUTH 13TH STREET, SUITE 201		07/23/2009	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer					
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	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 (An or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009		S(1)(2)	20.51	D	\$ 15.14	137,315.49 (3)	D			
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009		S(1)(2)	41.03	D	\$ 15.135	137,274.46	D			
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009		S(1)(2)	71.79	D	\$ 15.13	137,202.67 (3)	D			
Class A Common	07/23/2009		S(1)(2)	10.26	D	\$ 15.125	137,192.41 (3)	D			

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Stock							
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	102.56	D	\$ 15.12	137,089.85 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	20.82	D	\$ 15.115	137,069.03 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	84.72	D	\$ 15.11	136,984.31 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	51.28	D	\$ 15.105	136,933.03 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	241.33	D	\$ 15.1	136,691.7 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	20.51	D	\$ 15.0975	136,671.19 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	102.56	D	\$ 15.095	136,568.63 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	194.87	D	\$ 15.09	136,373.76	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	246.26	D	\$ 15.085	136,127.5 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	257.95	D	\$ 15.08	135,869.55 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	266.67	D	\$ 15.075	135,602.88 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	533.33	D	\$ 15.07	135,069.55 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	564.21	D	\$ 15.065	134,505.34	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	399.18	D	\$ 15.06	134,106.16 (3)	D

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Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	307.28	D	\$ 15.055	133,798.88	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	697.74	D	\$ 15.05	133,101.14 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	184.51	D	\$ 15.045	132,916.63 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	371.59	D	\$ 15.04	132,545.04 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	389.74	D	\$ 15.035	132,155.3 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	625.95	D	\$ 15.03	131,529.35 (3)	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2009	S(1)(2)	164.1	D	\$ 15.025	131,365.25 (3)	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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	tle and bunt of erlying urities r. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HEIMES TERRY J 121 SOUTH 13TH STREET SUITE 201 LINCOLN, NE 68508

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Angie R. Miller, Attorney-in-Fact for Terry J. Heimes

07/27/2009

**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 were sold by the reporting person pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan (the "Plan") entered into on March 13, 2009, which provided for the sale of up to a maximum of 37,500 shares of the issuer's Class A Common Stock, subject to limit price provisions. With
- (1) the sales of the shares reported in the two Forms 4 being filed for the reporting person for transactions made on July 23, 2009, the Plan has been completed and no future sales may occur pursuant to the Plan. The reporting person sold the shares for diversification and estate planning purposes.
 - Rule 10b5-1, promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, allows executives of a company who are not in possession of material non-public information to establish pre-arranged plans to buy or sell a specified number of shares of such company's stock. Once
- (2) a plan is established, the executive does not retain or exercise any discretion over sales of stock under the plan and the pre-planned trades may be executed at later dates as set forth in the plan, without regard to any subsequent material non-public information related to the company that the executive may receive.
- (3) Includes 4,889 shares issued pursuant to the issuer's Employee Share Purchase Plan.

Remarks:

This is the first of two Forms 4 that are being filed for Terry J. Heimes for transactions made on July 23, 2009.

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