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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 17.97	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	08/08/2004	08/08/2013	Common Stock	15,000
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 17.39	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	04/20/2005	04/20/2014	Common Stock	15,000
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 17.07	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	07/07/2006	07/07/2015	Common Stock	15,000
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 11.72	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	02/13/2007	02/13/2016	Common Stock	15,000
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 12.15	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/26/2006	06/26/2011	Common Stock	1,250
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 14.17	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/26/2007	06/26/2012	Common Stock	1,250
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 16.46	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/08/2009	05/08/2018	Common Stock	20,000

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Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 15.59	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/26/2008	06/26/2013	Common Stock	1,250
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 15.61	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	09/19/2009	09/19/2018	Common Stock	20,000
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 13.25	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	04/22/2010	04/22/2019	Common Stock	50,000
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 15.09	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/26/2009	06/26/2014	Common Stock	1,250
Option to purchase Common Stock (1)	\$ 17.24	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/28/2010	06/28/2015	Common Stock	1,250

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
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LAMBIASE JOHN						
C/O ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.	âν	Â	Â	Â		
1211 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, SUITE 2902	ΑΛ	А	А	А		
NEW YORK, NY 10036						

Signatures

/s/ John
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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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 previously granted.

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