

BUTLER NATIONAL CORP  
 Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stewart Craig D (Last) (First) (Middle)  15213 KING STREET (Street)  OVERLAND PARK, KS 66221 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 06/18/2013	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BUTLER NATIONAL CORP [bucs]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Vice President	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
BUTLER NATIONAL COMMON STOCK	882,778	D	^
BUTLER NATIONAL COMMON STOCK	278,933	I	BY 401(K)

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	Â (1)	12/31/2015	COMMON STOCK	150,000	\$ 0.49	D	Â
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	Â (2)	12/31/2015	COMMON STOCK	150,000	\$ 0.49	D	Â
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy)	Â (3)	12/31/2015	COMMON STOCK	150,000	\$ 0.49	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stewart Craig D 15213 KING STREET OVERLAND PARK, KS 66221	Â	Â	Â Vice President	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Craig D. Stewart  
06/20/2013

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person  
Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The option vests upon satisfaction, either simultaneously or separately, of both (a) the date being December 31, 2011 or later and (b) the close of the Company's common stock at a market price at or above \$0.92 on any date between December 31, 2010 and December 31, 2015.
  - (2) The option vests upon satisfaction, either simultaneously or separately, of both (a) the date being December 31, 2012 or later and (b) the close of the Company's common stock at a market price at or above \$1.41 on any date between December 31, 2010 and December 31, 2015.
  - (3) The option vests upon satisfaction, either simultaneously or separately, of both (a) the date being December 31, 2013 or later and (b) the close of the Company's common stock at a market price at or above \$1.90 on any date between December 31, 2010 and December 31, 2015.

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