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| August 25, 2   | 011             |   |   |   |           |  |   |  |  |                                      |  |
| FORM   | 14              |   |   |   |           |  |   |  |  | PPROVAL                              |  |
|  | UNITED          | STATES  |   | ATTIES A  |           |  | NGE C   | COMMISSION   | OMB<br>Number:   | 3235-0287                            |  |
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| obligation<br>may cont<br><i>See</i> Instru<br>1(b).   | ns Section 17(a | a) of the P   | ublic Ut  |   | ling Con  | npan   | y Act of  | 1935 or Section  | n  |                                      |  |
| (Print or Type F   | Responses)      |   |   |   |           |  |   |  |  |                                      |  |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u><br>WARMUTH CHRISTOPHER J                                      |                 |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>CITY NATIONAL CORP [CYN] |   |           |  |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |                                      |  |
| (Last)   | (First) (N      |   |   | Earliest Tr                                       |           | L  |   | (Chec  | k all applicable   | e)                                   |  |
| (Month   |                 |   | (Month/D<br>08/23/20  | ay/Year)  | ansaction |  |   | X Director 10% Owner<br>X Officer (give title Other (specify<br>below) below)<br>EVP of Issuer; Pres. of Sub |  |                                      |  |
|  |                 |   |   | lf Amendment, Date Original<br>ed(Month/Day/Year) |           |  |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check<br>Applicable Line)<br>_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person       |  |                                      |  |
| BEVERLY  | HILLS, CA 9021  | 0   |   |   |           |  |   | Form filed by M<br>Person  | Iore than One Re   | eporting                             |  |
| (City)   | (State)         | (Zip)   | Tabl  | e I - Non-D                                       | erivative | Secui  | rities Acq  | uired, Disposed of   | f, or Beneficial   | lly Owned                            |  |
| Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if   |                 | 3. 4. Securities Acquired<br>Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)<br>(Instr. 8)<br>(A)<br>or |   |   | d of (D)  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s) | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)  |  |                                      |  |
| C  |                 |   |   | Code V  | Amount    | (D)  | Price<br>\$   | (Instr. 3 and 4)   |  |                                      |  |
| Common<br>Stock  | 08/23/2011      |   |   | Ι   | 2,391     | А  | 41.93<br>(1)  | 27,539 <u>(2)</u>  | D  |                                      |  |
| Common<br>Stock  |                 |   |   |   |           |  |   | 13,812   | I  | By the<br>Warmuth<br>Living<br>Trust |  |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transac<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8 | /     | vative<br>irities<br>uired<br>or<br>osed<br>O)<br>r. 3, |                     | Date               | Secur | unt of<br>rlying                       | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Bene<br>Own<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|---|---|---|---|------------------------------------|-------|---|---------------------|--------------------|-------|--|---|---|
|   |   |   |   | Code                               | V (A) | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |   |

### **Reporting Owners**

| <b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>                                       | Relationships |           |                             |       |  |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                     | Other |  |  |  |  |
| WARMUTH CHRISTOPHER J<br>400 NORTH ROXBURY DRIVE<br>BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90210 | Х             |           | EVP of Issuer; Pres. of Sub |       |  |  |  |  |
| Cignotures  |               |           |                             |       |  |  |  |  |

# Signatures

| Christopher J.<br>Warmuth | 08/24/2011 |  |  |  |
|---------------------------|------------|--|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting  | Date       |  |  |  |

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).

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were acquired in multiple transactions at a price ranging from \$41.89 to \$41.95, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to City National Corporation, any security holder of City

- (1) National Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares acquired at each separate price within the price range set forth in this footnote (1) to this Form 4.
- Includes 7,098 shares of City National Corporation common stock held in the Reporting Persons's City National Corporation Profit (2)Sharing Plan account as of July 31, 2011.

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