CADIZ INC Form 5 February 13, 2009

550 SOUTH HOPE

(City)

STREET. SUITE 2850

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(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction (A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned at end Indirect (I) Ownership of Issuer's (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Fiscal Year (A) (Instr. 3 and or Amount (D) Price Common Â Â $J^{(1)}$ 10/31/2008 \$0 32,436 D 75,000 D Stock

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

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Chief Executive Officer

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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) Disposed of ((Instr. 3, 4, ar 5)	or (D)	O)		7. Title and Au Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4
					(A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 12	05/04/2005	Â	A	100,000	Â	10/01/2006	05/04/2015	Common Stock
Performance Rights (2)	Â	07/25/2007(5)	Â	A	600,000	Â	(3)(4)	(3)(4)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BRACKPOOL KEITH							
550 SOUTH HOPE STREET	â v	â	Chief Executive Officer	Â			
SUITE 2850	АЛ	A	A Ciliei Executive Officei	А			
LOS ANGELES, CA 90071							

Signatures

Keith Brackpool 02/13/2009

**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).
- (1) 75,000 shares were transferred as part of a marital settlement pursuant to a divorce decree.
- (2) Previously reported.

Represents Milestone-Based Deferred Stock Grants under the Company's 2007 Management Equity Incentive Plan. Each performance right represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock. One-half of the performance rights shall be issuable only if the Trading Price of the Company's common stock is at least \$28 per share for any ten trading days (whether or not

- (3) consecutive) falling within any period of thirty consecutive trading days which, in turn, fall within a period of two years commencing March 13, 2007, and ending March 12, 2009 (the "Milestone Period"). The remaining one-half of the performance rights shall be issuable only if the Trading Price of the Company's common stock is at least \$35 per share for any ten trading days (whether or not consecutive) falling within any period of thirty consecutive trading days which, in turn, fall within the Milestone Period.
- (continuation of footnote 3) Any performance rights as to which the Trading Price Conditions set forth above are satisfied shall, subject to (4) the terms of the Company's 2007 Management Equity Incentive Plan, vest and be issuable in four equal annual installments beginning January 1, 2008.
- (5) Represents the date upon which the final condition to the effectiveness of the Company's 2007 Management Equity Incentive Plan was satisfied and the Plan became effective.

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