

BALLANTYNE OF OMAHA INC
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Herrmann Kevin S		(Month/Day/Year)	BALLANTYNE OF OMAHA INC [BTN]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	11/15/2006	
4350 MCKINLEY STREET		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)		(Check all applicable)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
OMAHA,Â NEÂ 68112		___ Director ___ 10% Owner		___X___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	___X___ Officer ___ Other (specify below)	
			Chief Financial Officer	
			___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

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)
Common Stock	4,000	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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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 Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Title	Amount or Number of		

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/14/1997	10/14/2007	Common Stock	4,725	\$ 11.43	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	12/23/1998	12/23/2008	Common Stock	3,150	\$ 7.3	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	05/06/2002	05/06/2012	Common Stock	35,000	\$ 0.63	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Herrmann Kevin S 4350 MCKINLEY STREET OMAHA, NE 68112	Â	Â	Â Chief Financial Officer	Â

Signatures

Kevin Herrmann 11/27/2006

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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