

MACLELLAN DOUGLAS CHARLES

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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 *
 MACLELLAN DOUGLAS CHARLES

(Last) (First) (Middle)

NO. 3 MIN ZHUANG ROAD,
 BUILDING 6,, QUAN HUI
 GU TUSPARK, HAIDIAN
 DISTRICT

(Street)

BEIJING,, F4 100195

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement
 (Month/Day/Year)
 11/30/2009

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ChinaNet Online Holdings, Inc. [CNET]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer Other
 (give title below) (specify below)

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by 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)
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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	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	11/30/2014	Common Stock	24,000	\$ 5	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	11/30/2014	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 5	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MACLELLAN DOUGLAS CHARLES NO. 3 MIN ZHUANG ROAD, BUILDING 6, QUAN HUI GU TUSPARK, HAIDIAN DISTRICT BEIJING,,Â F4Â 100195	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ Douglas
MacLellan

11/30/2009

**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 in equal quarterly annual installments over 24 months from the date of the grant, so long as Mr. MacLellan serves as a member of the board of directors of the issuer.
 - (2) The option vests in equal quarterly annual installments over 24 months from the date of the grant, so long as Mr. MacLellan serves as the issuer's audit committee chairman.

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