VAN KAMPEN MUNICIPAL TRUST

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DAMMEYER RODNEY F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

VAN KAMPEN MUNICIPAL TRUST [VKQ]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/20/2009

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

ROD DAMMEYER, CAC, LLC, 4370 LAJOLLA VILLAGE DRIVE, SUITE 685

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SAN DIEGO, CA 92122

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
common shares	01/20/2009		Code V P	Amount 200	(D)	Price \$ 10.38	121,802.666	D		
common shares	01/20/2009		P	930	A	\$ 10.41	122,732.666	D		
common shares	01/20/2009		P	470	A	\$ 10.42	123,202.666	D		
common shares	01/20/2009		P	200	A	\$ 10.43	123,402.666	D		
	01/20/2009		P	2,100	A		125,502.666	D		

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common shares					\$ 10.44		
common shares	01/20/2009	P	100	A	\$ 10.46	125,602.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	300	A	\$ 10.48	125,902.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	200	A	\$ 10.49	126,102.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	200	A	\$ 10.53	126,302.3666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	200	A	\$ 10.6	126,502.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	300	A	\$ 10.61	126,802.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	200	A	\$ 10.62	127,002.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	500	A	\$ 10.64	127,502.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	100	A	\$ 10.67	127,602.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	400	A	\$ 10.68	128,002.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	400	A	\$ 10.69	128,402.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	200	A	\$ 10.72	128,602.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	1,000	A	\$ 10.74	129,462.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	100	A	\$ 10.75	129,702.666	D
common shares	01/20/2009	P	1,600	A	\$ 10.77	131,302.666	D

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)

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1. Title of Derivative		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transact	5. iorNumber	6. Date Exer Expiration I		7. Title and Amount of	8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	`		(Month/Day/Year)		Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	/ (A) (D	Date Exercisable	*	Title Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DAMMEYER RODNEY F ROD DAMMEYER, CAC, LLC 4370 LAJOLLA VILLAGE DRIVE, SUITE 685 SAN DIEGO, CA 92122



Signatures

/s/ Rod

Dammeyer 12/21/2009

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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