

Thompson John D.  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
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	
Thompson John D.		(Month/Day/Year)	EMC METALS CORP. [EMC]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	07/17/2011	
30 KINCARDINE DRIVE			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
BENOWA, C3 4217			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) V.P. Project Development	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> 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)
EMC Common Shares	590,000	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 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	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Warrants	11/08/2010	11/08/2011	Warrants	100,000	\$ 0.18	D	Â
Options	05/16/2011	05/16/2016	Options	100,000	\$ 0.25	D	Â
Options	11/16/2011	05/16/2016	Options	100,000	\$ 0.25	D	Â
Options	05/16/2012	05/16/2016	Options	100,000	\$ 0.25	D	Â
Options	11/16/2012	05/16/2016	Options	100,000	\$ 0.25	D	Â
Options	05/16/2013	05/16/2016	Options	100,000	\$ 0.25	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Thompson John D. 30 KINCARDINE DRIVE BENOWA, C3 4217	Â	Â	Â V.P. Project Development	Â

## Signatures

/s/ John D.  
Thompson

07/17/2011

\*\*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).

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