MOUG KEVIN G Form 4

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See Instruction

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MOUG KEVIN G			Person * 2. Issue Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol		5. Relationship Issuer	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
				Otter Tail Corp [OTTR]			(Check all applicable)		
	(Last)	(First) (M	Giddle) 3. Date o	f Earliest T	ransaction				
			(Month/I	Day/Year)		Director	109		
215 S CASCADE ST			02/08/2	02/08/2010			_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
						C	FO & Treasurer		
(Street)			4. If Amo	4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Mo	Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line)		
							y One Reporting F		
]	FERGUS F.	ALLS, MN 56537	-2801			Form filed by Person	More than One R	eporting	
	(City)	(State)	Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
	1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
	Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onAcquired (A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
((Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(4)	Reported	Reported		
					(A)	Transaction(s)			

Common 217.3106 I Stock

Common By Ι 238.6488 Stock daughters

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

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Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

36,159.6948

(1)

D

or

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 II S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Performance Rights	(2)	02/08/2010		A	5,678	(3)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,678	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MOUG KEVIN G 215 S CASCADE ST FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537-2801			CFO & Treasurer			

Signatures

/s/ Kevin G Moug by Debra J Lill, Attorney-in-Fact 02/10/2010

**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) Total direct holdings include shares jointly held with spouse representing shares from the Dividend Reinvestment Plan and the Employee Stock Purchase Plan and shares acquired pursuant to Restricted Stock Awards and Performance Award distributions.
- (2) This is a Performance Share Award and has no conversion or exercise price at this time.
- (3) There is no specific "Exercisable Date" on this Performance Share Award.
- (4) There is no specific "Expiration Date" on this Performance Share Award.
- (5) The fair market value on date of grant 10/29/07 was \$35.84 with fair market value on vesting date of \$20.575.
- (6) Performance Share Award acquired under the 1999 Stock Incentive Plan. This award was reaffirmed at the Board of Directors meeting held 2/8/10 and is based on performance period of 1/1/2007 12/31/2009.

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