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	Beuren Archbold D Symbo CAM (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date		Symbol CAMPB 3. Date of	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading mbol AMPBELL SOUP CO [CPB] Date of Earliest Transaction Jonth/Day/Year)				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
1 CAMPBEI	LL PLACE		10/20/20	•				X_ Officer (gives		er (specify		
				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			
CAMDEN, NJ 08103								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) c l of (D))	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 Stock	10/20/2008			A	3,675	A	\$0	1,129,712	D			
Common Stock								6,086	I	See Footnote (1)		
Common Stock								17,468	I	401(k)		
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.												

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Teat)	(Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of (Month/Day/Yea Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Under	lying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

vanBeuren Archbold D 1 CAMPBELL PLACE CAMDEN, NJ 08103

Senior Vice President

Signatures

John J. Furey, Attorney-In-Fact

**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).

Interests held by family trusts through a family corporation. The filing of this Form should not be deemed as an admmission that the (1) Reporting Person is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise, the beneficial owner of these securities.

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