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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549								OMMISSION	OMB APPROVAL OMB 3235-028 Number:		
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(Print or Type	Responses)										
MATTHIAS REBECCA C Symb			Symbol	r Name and tion Mate			-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	Destination Maternity Corp [DEST] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Che						ck all applicable)		
	INATION MAT TION, 456 NO REET		(Month/E 02/01/2	-				X Director X Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify	
			endment, Date Original nth/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 				
PHILADEI	LPHIA, PA 191	23						Person		porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution any		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securiti n(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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	02/01/2010			M <u>(1)</u>	8,000	A	\$ 10.01	13,082	I	By Husband	
Common Stock	02/01/2010			S <u>(1)</u>	13,082	D	\$ 23.57	0	Ι	By Husband	

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)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number orof 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. l De Sec (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.01	02/01/2010		M <u>(1)</u>	8,000	(2)	11/28/2015	Common Stock	8,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relation							
I GIN I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
MATTHIAS REBECCA C C/O DESTINATION MATERNITY CORPORATION 456 NORTH FIFTH STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19123	Х		President						
Signatures									
Rebecca C. Matthias signed by Ronald J. Masciantonio under Power of									
Attorney		02/03/2010							
**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). **
- The options were exercised and the shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 prearranged trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person's (1) husband, Dan W. Matthias, on December 3, 2009.
- (2) The options vest and become exercisable in five (5) equal annual installments beginning on November 28, 2006.

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