

Packard Dighton  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Packard Dighton

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Emergency Medical Services CORP [EMS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/18/2010

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Chief Medical Officer

C/O EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES CORP., 6200 S. SYRACUSE WAY, SUITE 200

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111-4737

(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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A Common Stock	02/18/2010		M	7,900 A	\$ 6.67	44,150	D
Class A Common Stock	02/18/2010		S <sup>(1)</sup>	25,970 D	\$ 53.0205 <sup>(2)</sup>	18,180	D
Class A Common Stock	02/19/2010		M	18,200 A	\$ 6.67	36,380	D

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Class A					\$		
Common	02/19/2010		S <sup>(1)</sup>	18,200	D	53.0946	18,180
Stock						<u>(3)</u>	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)

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. Transaction 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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 6.67	02/18/2010		M	7,900	<u>(4)</u> 02/10/2015	Class A Common Stock	7,900
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 6.67	02/19/2010		M	18,200	<u>(4)</u> 02/10/2015	Class A Common Stock	18,200

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Packard Dighton C/O EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES CORP. 6200 S. SYRACUSE WAY, SUITE 200 GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111-4737			Chief Medical Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Todd G. Zimmerman, as  
attorney-in-fact

02/22/2010

        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) This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December 3, 2009.

The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$53.00 to \$53.62, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this Form 4.

(2) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$53.00 to \$53.75, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this Form 4.

(3) The option is fully vested.

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