

**NIC INC**  
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**BURTSCHER ART N**

**FORM 4**  
(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

Filed 10/20/09 for the Period Ending 10/19/09

Address	25501 W. VALLEY PARKWAY SUITE 300 OLATHE, KS 66061
Telephone	(913) 498-3468
CIK	0001065332
Symbol	EGOV
SIC Code	8742 - Management Consulting Services
Industry	Computer Services
Sector	Technology
Fiscal Year	12/31

# FORM 4

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public  
Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the  
Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)	
<b>BURTSCHER ART N</b>		<b>NIC INC [ EGOV ]</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <span style="float:right">_____ 10% Owner</span> _____ Officer (give title below) <span style="float:right">_____ Other (specify below)</span>	
(Last) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)			
<b>C/O NIC INC., 25501 WEST VALLEY PARKWAY, SUITE 300</b>		<b>10/19/2009</b>			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
<b>OLATHE, KS 66061</b>				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person _____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)					

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	10/19/2009		M		55000	A \$4.15	208478	D	
Common Stock	10/19/2009		F (1)		25221	D \$9.05	183257	D	

**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned ( e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.15	10/19/2009		M		55000	11/5/2005	11/5/2009	Common Stock	55000	\$0	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

(1) Represents shares withheld by NIC Inc. at the election of the Reporting Person to pay the exercise price for option shares exercised.

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
<b>BURTSCHER ART N C/O NIC INC. 25501 WEST VALLEY PARKWAY, SUITE 300 OLATHE, KS 66061</b>	<b>X</b>			

**Signatures**

**Stephen M. Kovzan, Attorney in fact for Art N. Burtscher**

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**10/20/2009**

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* 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).

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