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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bizzell Kinchen C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ELLSWORTH FUND LTD [ECF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/28/2010

(Check all applicable)

Officer (give title _ Other (specify

C/O DINSMORE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT CO., 65 MADISON AVENUE, SUITE 550

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X_ Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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(State)

	(City)	(State) (Z	Table Table	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
Se	Fitle of curity str. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Day/Year) Execution Date, if T any		3. 4. Securities Acquire Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		d of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
В	ares of eneficial terest	01/28/2010		P	300	A	\$ 6.38	2,022.5573 (1)	D	
В	ares of eneficial terest	01/29/2010		P	480	A	\$ 6.4	2,502.5573	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code V	(A) (D)			,	Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director $\frac{10\%}{\text{Owner}}$ Officer Other

Bizzell Kinchen C C/O DINSMORE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT CO. 65 MADISON AVENUE, SUITE 550 MORRISTOWN, NJ 07960



Signatures

/s/ Gary I. Levine, attorney-in-fact

01/29/2010

**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) Includes 93.7203 shares acquired on various dates in fiscal year 2009 under the ECF dividend reinvestment plan.

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