FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1. Name and Ad CANON JOSI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Main Street Capital CORP [MAIN]						Is	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)									
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1300 POST OAK BLVD., STE. 800			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2008							Officer (give title Other (specify below)					pelow)		
HOUSTON, T	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						Aj	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person									
(City)	(State)	Zip)	Table I	- Non-	Deriv	vativo	e Seci	uritie	s Acquire					ally Owned			
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Common Stock	12/15/2008			<u>J⁽¹⁾</u>		131	.478	A	\$ 10.4985	5 11,	,174.031		D				
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Reportin	g Owners																

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CANON JOSEPH E 1300 POST OAK BLVD. STE. 800 HOUSTON, TX 77056	X						

Signatures

Rodger A. Stout as Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph E. Canon	01/09/2009	
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) The reporting person acquired 131.478 shares under the company's dividend reinvestment plan, pursuant to a dividend reinvestment transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16a-11.

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