#### VAN KAMPEN MUNICIPAL TRUST

Form 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* DAMMEYER RODNEY F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

VAN KAMPEN MUNICIPAL TRUST [VKQ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2008

(Check all applicable) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner

Other (specify Officer (give title

ROD DAMMEYER, CAC, LLC, 4370 LAJOLLA VILLAGE DRIVE, SUITE 685

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/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

Person

SAN DIEGO, CA 92122

(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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
common shares	12/17/2008		P	100	A	\$ 7.33	51,636.335	D			
common shares	12/17/2008		P	100	A	\$ 7.34	51,736.335	D			
common shares	12/17/2008		P	100	A	\$ 7.35	51,836.335	D			
common shares	12/17/2008		P	100	A	\$ 7.36	51,936.335	D			
	12/17/2008		P	100	A		52,036.335	D			

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common shares					\$ 7.37		
common shares	12/17/2008	P	1,500	A	\$ 7.38	53,536.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	400	A	\$ 7.39	53,936.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	1,600	A	\$ 7.4	55,536.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	300	A	\$ 7.41	55,836.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	300	A	\$ 7.42	56,136.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	500	A	\$ 7.43	56,636.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	400	A	\$ 7.45	57,036.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	900	A	\$ 7.46	57,936.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	1,500	A	\$ 7.47	59,436.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	200	A	\$ 7.48	59,636.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	400	A	\$ 7.49	60,036.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	2,300	A	\$ 7.5	62,336.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	1,300	A	\$ 7.51	63,636.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	300	A	\$ 7.52	63,936.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	700	A	\$ 7.53	64,636.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	800	A	\$ 7.54	65,436.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	600	A	\$ 7.55	66,036.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	800	A	\$ 7.56	66,836.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	200	A	\$ 7.57	67,036.335	D
	12/17/2008	P	200	A		67,236.335	D

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common shares					\$ 7.58		
common shares	12/17/2008	P	400	A	\$ 7.59	67,636.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	100	A	\$ 7.6	67,736.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	300	A	\$ 7.64	68,036.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	1,200	A	\$ 7.66	69,236.335	D
common shares	12/17/2008	P	500	A	\$ 7.67	69,736.335	D

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ite	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	]
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	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	Title	or Number		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Relationships

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address			•	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

DAMMEYER RODNEY F ROD DAMMEYER, CAC, LLC 4370 LAJOLLA VILLAGE DRIVE, SUITE 685 SAN DIEGO, CA 92122

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Rod

Dammeyer 12/18/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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