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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Hunsaker Craig E Issuer Symbol **NUVASIVE INC [NUVA]** (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title 7475 LUSK BLVD 02/04/2014 below) SVP, Global Human Resources (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)				` '		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A) or		Transaction(s) (Ins	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/04/2014		Code V A	Amount 3,250 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 35.265	(Instr. 3 and 4) 24,392	D	
Common Stock	02/04/2014		F	1,247 (2)	D	\$ 35.265	23,145	D	
Common Stock	02/05/2014		A	22,239 (3)	A	\$ 35.929	45,384	D	
Common Stock	02/06/2014		F	8,379 (4)	D	\$ 35.929	36,957	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	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amoun	it of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number			
				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hunsaker Craig E 7475 LUSK BLVD SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

SVP, Global Human Resources

Signatures

/s/ Jason M. Hannon, Attorney-in-Fact for Craig E. Hunsaker

02/06/2014

**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) Settlement of vested shares under Restricted Stock Unit grants dated February 24, 2010 and August 4, 2010.
- (2) Shares sold in a non-discretionary sale by the Reporting Person to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of Restricted Stock Unit awards dated February 24, 2010 and August 24, 2010.
- Settlement of vested shares under Performance Restricted Stock Unit (the "PRSUs") grant dated February 26, 2013. On January 24, 2014 (3) the Issuer's Compensation Committee determined that the first vesting of the Reporting Person's PRSUs would be settled on February 5, 2014.
- (4) Shares sold in a non-discretionary sale by the Reporting Person to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of PRSUs granted to the Reporting Person on February 26, 2013.

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