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(Print or Type R	Responses)										
COX HOWARD E JR Symbol			ıbol	r Name and Ticker or Trading KER CORP [SYK]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Month/D) 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD. (Street) 4. If Ame Filed(Mor			onth/Day/Year)	2009 endment, Date Original			X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
			² Amendment, Day/Yea				 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 				
	COO, MI 49002						Person		porting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ties Acqu	uired, Disposed of,	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Dat any (Month/Day/Y	Code	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	sposed	of (D)	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)		
Common Stock	03/04/2009		М	20,000	А	\$ 12.14	604,732	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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 12.14	03/04/2009		М	20,000	<u>(1)</u>	04/19/2009	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Addre	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
COX HOWARD E JR 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD. KALAMAZOO, MI 49002	Х					
Signatures						
Howard E. Cox, Jr.	03/05/2009					
**Signature of	Date					

Reporting Person

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) Stock option granted pursuant to the Stryker Corporation 1998 Stock Option Plan, exercisable as to 20% on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant.

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