ENGELMAN DONALD M

Form 4

February 11, 2011

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

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may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ENGELMAN DONALD M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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(First) (Middle) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2011

X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

2825 AIRVIEW BLVD.

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

> _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

KALAMAZOO, MI 49002

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security or Exercise Code (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Transaction of Derivative **Expiration Date** Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired

7. Title and Amount of 8. **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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	Derivative Security				(A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 59.7	02/09/2011	A		4,735		<u>(1)</u>	02/08/2021	Common Stock	4,735
Common Stock	<u>(2)</u>	02/09/2011	A		1,578		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	1,578

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting Owner Hume / Hudress	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ENGELMAN DONALD M 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD. KALAMAZOO, MI 49002	X						

Signatures

Julie A. Brown, attorney-in-fact for Donald M.
Engelman

**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) Stock option granted pursuant to the Stryker Corporation 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan, exercisable as to 20% on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (2) The restricted stock units vest as to 100% of the shares on March 21, 2012.
- The restricted stock units vest as to 100% of the shares on March 21, 2012. Vesting will be accelerated in the event of termination of (3) service as a Director of Stryker by reason of disability or death but will otherwise cease upon termination of service as a Director of Stryker.

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