

DAMORE RICHARD A

Form 4

August 24, 2012

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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Form 5  
obligations  
may continue.  
See Instruction  
1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
NBGE Manager, LLC

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O NORTH BRIDGE GROWTH  
EQUITY, 950 WINTER STREET,  
SUITE 4600

(Street)

WALTHAM, MA 02454

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

Proto Labs Inc [PRLB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

08/22/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	08/22/2012		J <sup>(1)</sup>		1,600,000	D	\$ 0
Common Stock							4,821,790
Common Stock							1,126
Common Stock							610
Common							585

By North  
Bridge  
Growth  
Equity I,  
L.P. <sup>(2)</sup>

D <sup>(3)</sup>D <sup>(4)</sup>

By Angel

Stock

2011  
Dynasty  
Trust <sup>(5)</sup>

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NBGE Manager, LLC C/O NORTH BRIDGE GROWTH EQUITY 950 WINTER STREET, SUITE 4600 WALTHAM, MA 02454		X		
NBGE GP, LLC C/O NORTH BRIDGE GROWTH EQUITY 950 WINTER STREET, SUITE 4600 WALTHAM, MA 02454		X		
NORTH BRIDGE GROWTH EQUITY I LP C/O NORTH BRIDGE GROWTH EQUITY 950 WINTER STREET, SUITE 4600 WALTHAM, MA 02454		X		
North Bridge Growth Management, L.P. C/O NORTH BRIDGE GROWTH EQUITY 950 WINTER STREET, SUITE 4600		X		

WALTHAM, MA 02454

ANDERSON EDWARD T

C/O NORTH BRIDGE GROWTH EQUITY

950 WINTER STREET, SUITE 4600

WALTHAM, MA 02454

X

DAMORE RICHARD A

C/O NORTH BRIDGE GROWTH EQUITY

950 WINTER STREET, SUITE 4600

WALTHAM, MA 02454

X

## Signatures

/s/ Julie M. Regnier, Attorney-in-Fact for NBGE Manager, LLC

08/24/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Julie M. Regnier, Attorney-in-Fact for NBGE GP, LLC

08/24/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Julie M. Regnier, Attorney-in-Fact for North Bridge Growth Equity I, L.P.

08/24/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Julie M. Regnier, Attorney-in-Fact for North Bridge Growth Management, L.P.

08/24/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Julie M. Regnier, Attorney-in-Fact for Edward Anderson

08/24/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Julie M. Regnier, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard D'Amore

08/24/2012

\_\_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 transaction reported on this Form 4 represents a pro rata distribution, and not a purchase or sale of securities, by North Bridge Growth Equity I, L.P. to its general and limited partners without consideration.

Represents shares held directly by North Bridge Growth Equity I, L.P. NBGE Manager, LLC ("NBGE") is the managing manager of NBGE GP, LLC, which is the sole general partner of North Bridge Growth Management, L.P., which is the sole general partner of North

- (2) Bridge Growth Equity I, L.P. NBGE has sole vesting and dispositive power over such shares. Shared voting and investment power over such shares is vested in the managers of NBGE, Edward Anderson and Richard D'Amore. Mr. Anderson and Mr. D'Amore each disclaim any beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein. This report shall not be deemed an admission that any of the reporting persons is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

- (3) Represents shares held of record by Mr. Anderson received in connection with the pro rata distribution from North Bridge Growth Equity I, L.P. referenced in footnote 1 above.

- (4) Represents shares held of record by Mr. D'Amore received in connection with the pro rata distribution from North Bridge Growth Equity I, L.P. referenced in footnote 1 above.

- (5) Represents shares held of record by a trust for the benefit of certain of Mr. Anderson's immediate family members which were received in connection with the pro rata distribution from North Bridge Growth Equity I, L.P. referenced in footnote 1 above. Mr. Anderson's immediate family member is the trustee of the trust. Mr. Anderson disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, and the filing of this report is not an admission that Mr. Anderson is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

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