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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Tumelty John B.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Proto Labs Inc [PRLB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
5540 PIONEER CREEK DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
			07/22/2013	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Below) Managing DirProto Labs, Ltd.			
(Street) MAPLE PLAIN, MN 55359			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 Person			

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(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	(A) or (D)	5) Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/22/2013		Code V $M_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 1,750	A	\$ 7.86	1,750	D	
Common Stock	07/22/2013		S(1)	1,750	D	\$ 64	0	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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	f Derivative Expiration Date ecurities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired A) or Disposed of D) instr. 3, 4,		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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.86	07/22/2013		M <u>(1)</u>	1,750	(2)	12/21/2020	Common Stock	1,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Tumelty John B.

5540 PIONEER CREEK DRIVE Managing Dir.-Proto Labs, Ltd.

MAPLE PLAIN, MN 55359

Signatures

/s/ Julie M. Regnier, Attorney-in-Fact 07/24/2013

**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) Sales effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on June 6, 2013.
- (2) This stock option vests on a montly basis in 2013 and will then vest 20% of the shares annually on each of 12/21/14 and 12/21/15.

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