McKinney Tony M Form 4 March 25, 2013

FORM 4

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

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

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(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * McKinney Tony M

(First)

(Street)

(Ctata)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

STRYKER CORP [SYK]

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

03/21/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

V.P., Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

KALAMAZOO, MI 49002

2825 AIRVIEW BLVD.

(City)	(State)	^(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/21/2013		M	1,731	A	\$ 0 (1)	31,229	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2013		F	547	D	\$ 65.37	30,682	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2013		M	1,687	A	\$ 0 (2)	32,369	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2013		F	534	D	\$ 65.37	31,835	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2013		M	1,866	A	\$ 0 (3)	33,701	D	

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Common Stock	03/21/2013	F	590	D	\$ 65.37	33,111	D	
Common Stock						1,525	Ι	By 401K

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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)	Code Securities		ive 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	
Restricted Stock Units granted 02/23/2010	<u>(1)</u>	03/21/2013		M	1,731	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,731	
Restricted Stock Units granted 02/09/2011	(2)	03/21/2013		M	1,687	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,687	
Restricted Stock Units granted 02/21/2012	<u>(3)</u>	03/21/2013		M	1,866	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	1,866	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
McKinney Tony M 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD. KALAMAZOO, MI 49002			V.P., Chief Accounting Officer			

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Lauren E. Keller, attorney-in-fact for Tony M. McKinney

03/25/2013

**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) On March 21, 2013, 1,731 Restricted Stock Units vested and were settled for an equal number of shares of Stryker Common Stock.
- (2) On March 21, 2013, 1,687 Restricted Stock Units vested and were settled for an equal number of shares of Stryker Common Stock.
- (3) On March 21, 2013, 1,866 Restricted Stock Units vested and were settled for an equal number of shares of Stryker Common Stock.
- The restricted stock units vest as to 1,687 shares on March 21, 2013 and 1,687 shares on March, 21, 2014. Vesting will be accelerated in the event of termination of employment by reason of disability or death but will otherwise cease upon termination of employment with Stryker.
- The restricted stock units vest as to 1,866 shares on March 21, 2013; 1,866 shares on March 21, 2014; and 1,866 shares on March 21, (5) 2015. Vesting will be accelerated in the event of termination of employment by reason of disability or death but will otherwise cease upon termination of employment with Stryker.

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