STRYKER CORP

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Carpenter Lonny J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

STRYKER CORP [SYK] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(First) (Middle)

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

05/01/2016

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Group President

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

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-E	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d 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	05/01/2016		M	1,355	A	\$ 0 (1)	55,473	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2016		F	627	D	\$ 109.01	54,846	D	
Common Stock							2,615	I	By 401K

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount of	8. Pric
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction Derivative		Expiration Date		, ,		Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/	Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4	4)	Secur
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired					(Instr.
	Derivative				(A) or					
	Security				Disposed of					
					(D)					
					(Instr. 3, 4,					
					and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
									of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	
Common								Common		
Common	<u>(1)</u>	05/01/2016		M	1,355	(2)	(2)	Common	1,355	\$ 0
Stock							_	Stock		7 1

Reporting Owners

Raparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationsin

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Carpenter Lonny J 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD KALAMAZOO, MI 49002

Group President

Signatures

Lauren E. Keller, attorney-in-fact for Lonny J. Carpenter

05/03/2016

**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 May 1, 2016, 1,355 Restricted Stock Units vested and were settled for an equal number of shares of Stryker Common Stock.
- (2) The Restricted Stock Units vest as to 1,355 shares on May 1, 2017 and 1,355 shares on May 1, 2018.

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