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## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Cardiovascular Systems Inc [CSII]

Symbol

1(b).

Martin David

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

See Instruction

			Cardiovascular Systems Inc [CSII]				CSII]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					`	**	,	
651 CAMPUS DRIVE			08/13/2012					_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and CEO			
				endment, D onth/Day/Yea	_	1	1	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ST. PAUL,	MN 55112					- I	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Executio any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed 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	08/13/2012			A	27,293 (1)	A	\$ 0	312,673	D		
Common Stock	08/13/2012			A	27,293 (2)	A	\$ 0	339,966	D		
Common Stock	08/13/2012			A	54,584 (3)	A	\$ 0	394,550	D		
Common Stock	08/13/2012			S	8,204	D	\$ 8.8493 (4)	386,346	D		
Common Stock	08/15/2012			S	3,324	D	\$ 8.9178	383,022	D		

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8		5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and A	Securities
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.83						<u>(6)</u>	07/16/2016	Common Stock	71,170
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.83						<u>(6)</u>	08/14/2016	Common Stock	38,820
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.83						<u>(6)</u>	02/14/2017	Common Stock	349,380
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.9						<u>(6)</u>	06/11/2017	Common Stock	90,580
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.15						<u>(6)</u>	12/11/2017	Common Stock	242,625
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.75						<u>(6)</u>	03/01/2019	Common Stock	32,350

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Martin David 651 CAMPUS DRIVE ST. PAUL, MN 55112	X		President and CEO					

### **Signatures**

/s/ Scott J. Dorfman as Attorney-in-Fact for David L. Martin pursuant to Power of Attorney filed herewith.

08/15/2012

\*\*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) Subject to performance-based forfeiture based on total shareholder return for fiscal 2013 versus the Company's peer group.
- (2) Subject to performance-based forfeiture based on annual revenue growth for fiscal 2013 versus the Company's peer group.
- (3) Restrictions lapse over a three year period.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.62 to \$9.16 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Cardiovascular Systems, Inc., any security holder of Cardiovascular Systems, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.83 to \$9.00 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Cardiovascular Systems, Inc., any security holder of Cardiovascular Systems, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (6) Fully exercisable.

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