NUVASIVE INC Form 4 February 03, 2015

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Hannon Jason | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | |
|---|----------|----------|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | (Middle) | NUVASIVE INC [NUVA] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| 7475 LUSK BLVD | | | (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2015 | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specif below) below) EVP, General Counsel & Sec. | | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | |
| SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A | .couired. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner | | | | |

| (Chij) | (State) | Table | e I - Non-D | erivative S | securi | ties 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) | Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4 | sposed 4 and 5 (A) or | 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 | 02/01/2015 | | Code V A | Amount 43,659 | (D) | Price \$ 0 (1) | 75,899 (2) | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2015 | | F | 20,746 (3) | D | \$ 46.32 | 55,153 <u>(2)</u> | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2015 | | A | 6,337 | A | \$ 0 (4) | 61,490 (2) | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2015 | | F | 3,306 (5) | D | \$ 46.32 | 58,184 (2) | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2015 | | A | 8,316 | A | \$0(6) | 66,500 (7) | D | |

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| Common Stock | 02/01/2015 | F | 4,339 (7) | D | \$ 46.32 | 62,161 (2) | D |
|-----------------|------------|---|--------------|---|-------------|------------|---|
| Common Stock | 02/01/2015 | A | 4,397 | A | \$ 0 (8) | 66,558 (2) | D |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2015 | F | 2,294 (9) | D | \$ 46.32 | 64,264 (2) | 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) | 4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | Secur | int of rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo 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

Hannon Jason 7475 LUSK BLVD SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

EVP, General Counsel & Sec.

Signatures

/s/ Jason M. Hannon 02/03/2015

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- * 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) Settlement of the remaining one-half of the Performance Restricted Stock Units (PRSUs) granted on March 1, 2013. The performance criteria for such PRSUs was confirmed by the Issuer's Compensation Committee on January 24, 2014.
- (2) Shares directly held by the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person also holds conditional rights to receive or purchase (as appropriate) shares pursuant to previously disclosed Company equity awards.
- (3) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of PRSUs dated March 1, 2013.
- (4) Settlement of vested shares under Restricted Stock Unit grant dated February 13, 2012.
- (5) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of Restricted Stock Unit awards dated February 13, 2012.
- (6) Settlement of vested shares under Restricted Stock Unit grant dated February 26, 2013.
- (7) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of Restricted Stock Unit awards dated February 26, 2013.
- (8) Settlement of vested shares under Restricted Stock Unit grant dated February 19, 2014.
- (9) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of Restricted Stock Unit awards dated February 19, 2014.

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