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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Miles Patrick Issuer Symbol **NUVASIVE INC [NUVA]** (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X_ Director (Month/Day/Year) 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 7475 LUSK BLVD. 05/01/2017 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

____ Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

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1.Title of Security				4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported		
					or		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/01/2017		M	5,599	A	\$0	90,677 (1)	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2017		F	2,921 (2)	D	\$ 72.91	87,756 <u>(1)</u>	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table I. Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of an Peneficially Ou

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
RSUs (3)	\$ 0	05/01/2017		M	5,599	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,599	\$ (

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Miles Patrick							
7475 LUSK BLVD.	X						
SAN DIEGO, CA 92121							

Signatures

/s/ Nathaniel B. Sisitsky, Attorney-in-Fact for Patrick S. 05/03/2017 Miles **Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Shares directly held by the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person also holds conditional rights to receive shares pursuant to previously **(1)** disclosed Company equity awards. Amount includes 429 shares acquired under the Issuer's employee stock purchase plan in April 2017.

Date

- (2) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations.
- (3) Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock upon vesting.
- This RSU award was granted to the Reporting Person on May 1, 2015. In accordance with the terms of the RSU award, the award vested (4) as to 5,600 shares on May 1, 2016, vested as to 5,599 shares on May 1, 2017 and will vest as to 5,599 shares on each of May 1, 2018 and May 1, 2019.

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