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### FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Cardiovascular Systems Inc [CSII]

Symbol

1(b).

Tyska Paul A

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(Last)	(First)	(Middle) 3.	Date of Earliest T	ransaction					
			Month/Day/Year) 8/21/2009				Director _X_ Officer (give below)		% Owner ner (specify V
ST. PAUL,	If Amendment, D led(Month/Day/Yea		al		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I Non l	Dominioting	Com	witing Ange		f an Danafiaia	Iller Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deemed	3. Transactic Code (Year) (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ties A ispose 4 and (A) or	cquired 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	08/21/2009		S	1,100	D	\$ 8.5	23,120	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S	1,766	D	\$ 8.5003	21,354	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S	200	D	\$ 8.51	21,154	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2009		S	700	D	\$ 8.52	20,454	D	
Common Stock							1,294	I	Held as custodian

for minor

children

(9-02)

8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			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
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.83					<u>(1)</u>	10/02/2011	Common Stock	90,580
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.9					(2)	08/06/2017	Common Stock	22,645
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.15					(3)	12/11/2017	Common Stock	32,350
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.75					<u>(4)</u>	03/01/2019	Common Stock	7,764

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Tyska Paul A			VP of Business Dev				

Reporting Owners 2 651 CAMPUS DRIVE ST. PAUL, MN 55112

### **Signatures**

/s/ John R. Remakel as Attorney-in-Fact for Paul A. Tyska pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed.

08/25/2009

\*\*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) Exercisable: 30,194 on 10/3/07 and 30,193 on 10/03/08 and 10/03/09.
- (2) Exercisable: 7,549 on 8/7/08 and 7,548 on 8/7/09 and 8/7/10.
- (3) Exercisable: 16,175 on 2/25/10 and 2/25/11.
- (4) Exercisable: 3,882 on 3/2/10 and 3/2/11.

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