DANIELS BRUCE Form 4 March 05, 2012

FORM 4

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

SECURITIES

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DANIELS BRUCE**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(First)

(Street)

(Stata)

(Middle)

CONMED CORP [CNMD] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2012

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

406 ROSS COURT

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW HARTFORD, NY 13413

(City)	(State) (Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/02/2012		M	1,000	A	\$ 16.46	2,400	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2012		F	567	D	\$ 29.04	1,833	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2012		M	1,000	A	\$ 19.26	2,833	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2012		F	664	D	\$ 29.04	2,169	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar
Sars (Stock Appreciation Rights)	\$ 16.46	03/02/2012		M	1,000	<u>(1)</u>	06/01/2019	Common Stock	1,0
Sars (Stock Appreciation Rights)	\$ 19.26	03/02/2012		M	1,000	06/01/2011(2)	06/01/2020	Common Stock	1,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DANIELS BRUCE							
406 ROSS COURT	X						
NEW HARTFORD, NY 13413							

Signatures

Daniel S. Jonas for Bruce F. Daniels by Power of Attorney 03/05/2012

**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).

The stock appreciation rights ("SARs") were granted under the Company's 2007 Non-Employee Director Equity Compensation Plan, with the SARs generally vesting 20% per year over a five year period, with any unvested SARs to vest upon the Director's termination of service provided the Director has completed one full year of service since the date of the award in which case the SARS shall be

(1) service provided the Director has completed one full year of service since the date of the award in which case the SARS shall be exercisable at any time prior to the expiration date of the SAR or within one year after the date of such termination, whichever period is shorter.

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Reporting Owners 2

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The stock appreciation rights ("SARs") were granted under the Company's 2007 Amended and Restated Non-Employee Director Equity Compensation Plan, with the SARs generally vesting 100% after a one year period.

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