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# FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and A<br>Hartman Cu | Address of Repo<br>art R | rting Person * | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CONMED CORP [CNMD] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)                             |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)                      | (First)                  | (Middle)       | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                                       | (Check an applicable)  |  |  |  |
| C/O CONM<br>FRENCH R        | IED CORP, :              | 525            | (Month/Day/Year)<br>03/01/2016  | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO                     |  |  |  |
|                             | (Street)                 |                | 4. If Amendment, Date Original  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |  |
| UTICA, NY 13502             |                          |                | Filed(Month/Day/Year)   | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |  |
| (City)                      | (State)                  | (Zip)          | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac                                | equired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  |  |  |  |
| 1 Title of                  | 2 Transaction            | Date 2A Dec    | emed 3 A Securities Acquired  | 5 Amount of 6 Ownership 7 Natur  |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                              | Table Table                             | e I - Non-D              | erivative                              | Secur            | ities Acq   | uired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficial                 | ly Owned                         |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------|--|------------------|-------------|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any | 3.<br>Transactio<br>Code | 4. Securi<br>on(A) or Di<br>(Instr. 3, | spose            | d of (D)    | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially                                 | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial |
|                                      |                                      | (Month/Day/Year)                        | (Instr. 8)  Code V       | Amount                                 | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price       | Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4)       | Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)          |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 03/01/2016                           |   | M                        | 1,950                                  | A                | \$0         | 29,479   | D                                |                                  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 03/01/2016                           |   | F                        | 693                                    | D                | \$<br>39.87 | 28,786   | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or Derivative Securities A (A) or Dispo (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | acquired<br>osed of | 6. Date Exer<br>Expiration D<br>(Month/Day/ | ate                | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securit             |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|---------------------|---|--------------------|---|---------------------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                 | (A)  | (D)                 | Date<br>Exercisable                         | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                     | Amo<br>Num<br>Share |
| Rsus<br>(restricted<br>Stock<br>Units)              | \$ 0  | 03/01/2016                           |   | M                                      |  | 1,950               | <u>(1)</u>                                  | 02/27/2025         | Common<br>Stock                           | 1,9                 |
| Rsus<br>(restricted<br>Stock<br>Units)              | \$ 0  | 03/01/2016                           |   | A                                      | 9,000  |                     | (2)   | 03/01/2026         | Common<br>Stock                           | 9,0                 |
| Options<br>To<br>Purchase<br>Common<br>Stock        | \$ 39.87  | 03/01/2016                           |   | A                                      | 170,000  |                     | (3)   | 03/01/2026         | Common<br>Stock                           | 170                 |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address     | Relationships |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hartman Curt R C/O CONMED CORP 525 FRENCH ROAD UTICA, NY 13502

President & CEO

# **Signatures**

/s/ Sarah M. Oliker for Curt R. Hartman by Power of Attorney

03/03/2016

\*\*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).
- Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of

  (1) ConMed Corporation (the "Company") and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Company's 2006 Stock Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts (25%) over a four year period.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of ConMed Corporation (the "Company") and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Company's 2015 Amended and Restated

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Long-Term Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts (25%) over a four year period.

(3) The incentive stock options ("ISOs") were granted under the Company's 2015 Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts over a five year period

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