#### MACMILLAN STEPHEN P

Form 4

January 10, 2011

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

**OMB** Number:

3235-0287

Expires:

January 31, 2005

0.5

Estimated average burden hours per

**OMB APPROVAL** 

response...

if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

Check this box

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

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MACMILLAN STEPHEN P			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol STRYKER CORP [SYK]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
								(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)  2825 AIRVIEW BLVD.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/10/2011			X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman, President & CEO				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
KALAMAZ	ZOO, MI 49002	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-Deriva	tive Secu	rities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	Transaction(A)	(A) or	ed 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	01/10/2011			M 5,00	` '	\$ 46.85	127,002	D		
Common Stock							611	I	By 401K	
Common Stock							200	I	By Custodian	

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

Persons who respond to the collection of SEC 1474 information contained in this form are not (9-02)required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control

### Edgar Filing: MACMILLAN STEPHEN P - Form 4

#### number.

# 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 proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ative Expiration Date es (Month/Day/Year) d		(Instr. 3 and 4)		8. De Se (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock	\$ 46.85	01/10/2011		M	5,000	<u>(1)</u>	02/06/2016	Common Stock	5,000	\$

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
reporting o where there is a real constant.	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
MACMILLAN STEPHEN P 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD. KALAMAZOO, MI 49002	X		Chairman, President & CEO		

## **Signatures**

Julie A. Brown, attorney-in-fact for Stephen P.

MacMillan

01/10/2011

\*\*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) Stock option granted pursuant to the Stryker Corporation 1998 Stock Option Plan, exercisable as to 20% on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

Reporting Owners 2