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## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad McKinney To	•	ting Person *	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)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
2825 AIRVIEW BOULEVARD			08/26/2011	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Chief Accounting Officer			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
KALAMAZO	OO. MI 490	02	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price			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	08/26/2011		M	12,000	A	\$ 23.3	27,407	D	
Common Stock	08/26/2011		F	7,892	D	\$ 46.13	19,515	D	
Common Stock							1,399	I	By 401K

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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	
Common Stock	\$ 23.3	08/26/2011		M	12,000	<u>(1)</u>	09/19/2011	Common Stock	12,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

McKinney Tony M 2825 AIRVIEW BOULEVARD KALAMAZOO, MI 49002

VP, Chief Accounting Officer

## **Signatures**

Mary Anne McDonald, attorney-in-fact for Tony M. McKinney

08/29/2011

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

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