

WILKIN NEIL D JR
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WILKIN NEIL D JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**LUNA INNOVATIONS INC
 [LUNA]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
07/02/2012

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

5290 CONCOURSE DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ROANOKE, VA 24019

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Code	V	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
			(A)	(D)								
Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	07/02/2012	A	11,111.11			<u>(2)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	11,111.11	<u>(2)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WILKIN NEIL D JR 5290 CONCOURSE DRIVE ROANOKE, VA 24019	X			

Signatures

/s/ Talfourd H. Kemper, Jr., Attorney-In-Fact **Signature of Reporting Person	07/03/2012 Date
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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 Units are convertible into issuer's common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

- (2) This grant was made pursuant to the issuer's non-employee director compensation policy. The Reporting Person was awarded an annual retainer on July 1 of \$15,000 and elected to receive the retainer in restricted stock units of the issuer's common stock. The number of restricted stock units awarded was equal to \$15,000 divided by \$1.35, the closing price of the issuer's common stock on the NASDAQ Capital Market on July 2, 2012, the first trading day of the quarter.
- (3) The stock units become issuable in common stock of the issuer at the election of the Reporting Person upon the earliest to occur of the Reporting Person's termination of service, a change in control of the issuer, an unforeseeable emergency, or a fixed date selected by the Reporting Person. The units have no expiration date.

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