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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement NanoString Technologies Inc [NSTG] GRAY R BRADLEY (Month/Day/Year) 06/25/2013 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 530 FAIRVIEW AVENUE (Check all applicable) N., SUITE 2000 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting President and CEO Person SEATTLE, WAÂ 98109 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock 86,790 D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of 5. 6. Nature of Indirect (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) **Derivative Security** or Exercise Form of (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative Derivative Security: Title Direct (D) Security

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	02/28/2022	Common Stock	135,588 (2)	\$ 1.92	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	01/09/2023	Common Stock	68,749 (2)	\$ 6.72	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(4)	06/29/2020	Common Stock	15,125 (2)	\$ 2.24	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(5)	06/29/2020	Common Stock	138,669 (2)	\$ 2.24	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(6)	06/29/2020	Common Stock	33,482 (2)	\$ 2.24	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GRAY R BRADLEY 530 FAIRVIEW AVENUE N. SUITE 2000 SEATTLE, WA 98109	ÂX	Â	President and CEO	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Barbara Mery, Attorney-in-Fact 06/25/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 option is subject to an early exercise provision and is immediately exercisable. 15% of the shares subject to the Option vested on (1) March 1, 2012 (the "Vesting Commencement Date"), and thereafter 1/48th of the remaining shares subject to the Option vest on each monthly anniversary of the Commencement Date.
- (2) Reflects a 1-for-32 reverse stock split of the Issuer's outstanding shares effected June 12, 2013.
- (3) The option is subject to an early exercise provision and is immediately exercisable. 1/48th of the shares subject to such Option shall vest on each monthly anniversary of January 10, 2013.
- (4) The option is subject to an early exercise provision and is immediately exercisable. The Option vests as to 50% upon the "tools" portion of the Issuer's business becoming profitable, and the remaining 50% upon the FDA's final approval of Prosigna.
- The option is subject to an early exercise provision and is immediately exercisable. 25% of the shares subject to the Option vest on the (5) one year anniversary of June 25, 2010 (the "Vesting Commencement Date"), and thereafter 1/48th of the shares subject to the Option vest on each monthly anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date.
- (6) 25% of the shares subject to the Option vest on the one year anniversary of June 25, 2010 (the "Vesting Commencement Date"), and thereafter 1/48th of the shares subject to the Option vest on each monthly anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date.

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