COMAS DANIEL L Form 4/A

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COMAS DANIEL L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

below)

DANAHER CORP /DE/ [DHR] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

2099 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE,

(Street)

01/01/2005

Other (specify below)

NW. 12TH FLOOR

Senior Vice President 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2005

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

Person

WASHINGTON, DC 20006

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

Following

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A)

(Instr. 8)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

5. Number 4. Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. | 8) | Acquires (A) or Disposes (D) (Instr. 3, and 5) | d of | | | | (| (Instr |
|---|------------------------------------|------------|------------------|---------|----|---|------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--|--------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Executive Deferred Income Plan Danaher Stock Fund (1) | \$ 0 <u>(2)</u> | 01/01/2005 | | A(3) | | 627.1 (5) | | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock (1) | 627.1 (5) | \$ 5 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| COMAS DANIEL L 2099 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW 12TH FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20006 | | | Senior Vice President | | | | |
| Cianaturas | | | | | | | |

Signatures

James F. O'Reilly, attorney-in-fact for Daniel L. Comas 02/04/2005

**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).

Compensation deferred or contributed into the Danaher stock fund (the "EDIP Stock Fund") included in Danaher's Executive Deferred Income Plan (the "EDIP") is deemed to be invested in a number of unfunded, notional shares of Danaher common stock based on the

- (1) closing price of Danaher common stock as reported on the NYSE on the date such compensation is credited to the EDIP Stock Fund. The price shown in Table II, Column 8 above is the closing price per share of Danaher common stock as reported on the NYSE on December 31, 2004.
- (2) The notional shares convert on a one-for-one basis.

In accordance with the terms of the EDIP, on January 1, 2005, Danaher credited a specified amount to the EDIP Stock Fund of the (3) reporting person, which amount has been deemed to be invested in a number of unfunded, notional shares of Danaher common stock based on the closing price of Danaher common stock as reported on the NYSE on December 31, 2004.

The reporting person immediately vests in 100% of each voluntary contribution to the EDIP Stock Fund. The reporting person immediately vests in 2/3 of each company contribution to the EDIP Stock Fund, with the remaining 1/3 of the contribution vesting 100%

(4) upon the earlier of the reporting person's death, or upon retirement following at least 5 years of service with Danaher and reaching the age of 55, or if earlier, one-third per vesting year of participation following eleven vesting years of participation, in each case in accordance with the plan. Upon termination of employment, the vested portion of the EDIP Stock Fund is settled in shares of Danaher common stock.

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(5) This amendment is being filed to correct the number of notional shares in Column 5 and Column 7 from 606.2 to 627.1, and to correct the aggregate number of notional shares in Column 9 from 3,201.78 to 3,222.68.

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