CONMED CORP Form 4

FORM 4

May 18, 2007

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCHWARTZ STUART J

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Middle)

CONMED CORP [CNMD]

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Check all applicable)

7960 SANDHILL COURT

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

05/17/2007

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

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

Person

WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33412

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired for(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	⁷ Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/17/2007		M	4,500	A	\$ 19.78	5,775	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2007		S	580	D	\$ 29.77	5,195	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2007		S	120	D	\$ 29.78	5,075	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2007		S	320	D	\$ 29.8	4,755	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2007		S	2,000	D	\$ 29.81	2,755	D	
	05/17/2007		S	500	D		2,255	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 29.82		
Common Stock	05/17/2007	S	300	D	\$ 29.83	1,955	D
Common Stock	05/17/2007	S				1,655	D
Common Stock	05/17/2007	S				1,275	D

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration ion Derivative Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		•	7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 19.78	05/17/2007		M	4,500	05/17/2007	05/17/2017	Common Stock
RSUs (Restricted Stock Units)	(1)	05/18/2007		A	1,000	05/18/2008(1)	05/18/2017 <u>(1)</u>	Common Stock
SAR's (Stock Appreciation Rights) (2)	\$ 29.92	05/18/2007		A	2,500	05/18/2008(2)	05/18/2017(2)	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

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7960 SANDHILL COURT X
WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33412

Signatures

/s/ Stuart J. 05/18/2007 Schwartz

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
 - Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of ConMed Corporation (the "Company") and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Company's 2007 Non-Employee Director
- (1) Equity Compensation Plan, with the RSUs generally vesting 20% per year over a five year period, with any unvested RSUs to vest and be delivered upon the Director's termination of service provided the Director has completed one full year of service since the date of the award.
 - The stock appreciation rights ("SARs") were granted under the Company's 2007 Non-Employee Director Equity Compensation Plan, with the SARs generally vesting 20% per year over a five year period, with any unvested SARs to vest upon the Director's termination of
- (2) service provided the Director has completed one full year of service since the date of the award in which case the SARs shall be exercisable at any time prior to the expiration date of the SAR or within one year after the date of such termination, whichever period is shorter
- (3) The RSUs and SARs were granted at no cost to the Reporting Person.

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