**CONMED CORP** Form 4 May 18, 2007

# 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 Adda ACEY THOM	•	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CONMED CORP [CNMD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
11 DEVEREUX LANE (Street)			05/16/2007	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) secretary & TREASURER		
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
WHITESBORO, NY 13492				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		r	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	•	any	Code	Disposed of (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	05/16/2007		M	53	A	\$0	3,428	D		
Common Stock	05/16/2007		F	27	D	\$0	3,428	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	urities (Month/Day/Year) uired (A) Disposed D) tr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title I
RSUs (Restricted Stock Units)	(1)	05/16/2007		M	80	05/16/2007(1)	05/16/2016(1)	Common Stock
RSUs (Restricted Stock Units)	(1)	05/17/2007		A	400	05/17/2008(1)	05/17/2017(1)	Common Stock
SAR's (Stock Appreciation Rights)	\$ 29.92	05/17/2007		A	1,000	05/17/2008(2)	05/17/2017(2)	Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ACEY THOMAS 11 DEVEREUX LANE WHITESBORO, NY 13492

SECRETARY & TREASURER

## **Signatures**

/s/ Thomas A.
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\*\*Signature of Date

\*\*Signature of
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

  (1) ConMed Corporation (the "Company") and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Company's 2006 Stock Incentive Plan, with the RSUs generally vesting over a five year period with the first 20% of the RSU's vesting one year after the grant date.

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The stock appreciation rights ("SARs") were granted under the Company's 2006 Stock Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts over a five year period.

(3) The RSUs and SARs were granted at no cost to the Reporting Person.

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