

Doughty Brian
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Doughty Brian

(Last) (First) (Middle)
651 CAMPUS DRIVE
(Street)

ST. PAUL, MN 55112

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Cardiovascular Systems Inc [CSII]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/12/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP of Commerical Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	08/12/2010		S ⁽¹⁾	2,153 A	\$ 4.48	39,380	D
Common Stock	08/12/2010		S ⁽¹⁾	290 D	\$ 4.8207	39,090	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.83					(2)	12/18/2016	Common Stock	45,290
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.83					(2)	04/17/2017	Common Stock	3,235
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.9					(2)	06/11/2017	Common Stock	16,175
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.9					(2)	08/06/2017	Common Stock	6,470
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.15					(3)	12/11/2017	Common Stock	32,350
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.75					(4)	03/01/2019	Common Stock	7,764

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Doughty Brian
651 CAMPUS DRIVE
ST. PAUL, MN 55112

VP of
Commerical
Operations

Signatures

/s/ John R. Remakel as Attorney-in-Fact for Brian Doughty pursuant to Power of Attorney
previously filed.

08/13/2010

__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).
- (1) In connection with the vesting and delivery of restricted stock, shares were sold and the net proceeds were used to pay required withholding taxes.
- (2) Fully exercisable.
- (3) Exercisable: 16,175 on 2/25/10 and 2/25/11.
- (4) Exercisable: 3,882 on 3/2/10 and 3/2/11.

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