FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

| Washington, | D.C. | 20549 |
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Pelletier Johonna Marie   |  |          |  |                               |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONMED CORP [ CNMD ]   |                      |           |   |                             |   |               |   | elationship c<br>ck all applic<br>Directo                                    | able)  | ing Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner               |  |            |
|   |  |          |  |                               |  |  |                      |           |   |                             | Officer   | (give title   | C   | Other (s   |  |   |  |            |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  |  |          |  |                               |  |  |                      |           |   |                             | below)  |               |   | elow)  |  |   |  |            |
| C/O CONMED CORPORATION  |  |          |  |                               |  | 03/01/2021   |                      |           |   |                             |   |               |   | 1  | reasurer   | and VP, T                                       | ax   |            |
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| -   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |          |  |                               |  |  |                      |           | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |                             |   |               |   |  |  |   |  |            |
| (Street)  |  | r        | 22772                                      |                               |  |  |                      |           |   |                             |   |               |   | X Form filed by One Reporting Person   |  |   |  |            |
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| (City)  | (S   | state)   | (Zip)                                      |                               |  |  |                      |           |   |                             |   |               |   | Person   | l  |   |  |            |
|   |  | Ta       | ble I -                                    | Non-Der                       | ivativ   | e Securitie  | es Ac                | cquii     | red, [  | Disposed                    | l of, c   | r Be          | neficially  | / Owned  |  |   |  |            |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)   |  |          | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                               | Execution Date   |  | ecution Date, Transa |           |   |                             |   | A) or Dispose | Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following       |  | Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)    |   | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                |            |
|   |  |          |  |                               |  |  |                      | Code      | v   | Amount                      | (A)<br>(D)  | or F          | Price   | Transac  | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)       |   | (  | (Instr. 4) |
| Common  | Stock  |          |  | 03/01/2                       | 2021 M 1,900 A \$  |  |                      |           | \$39.87   | .87 5,781                   |   | D             |   |  |  |   |  |            |
| Common  | Stock  |          |  | 03/01/2                       | 2021   |  |                      | S         |   | 1,900                       | Г   | ) [           | \$123.0305  | 23.0305 <sup>(1)</sup> 3,881 D   |  |   |  |            |
| Common  | Stock  |          |  | 03/01/2                       | 2021   |  |                      | M         |   | 2,000                       | A   | A             | \$41.93   | \$41.93 5,881 D  |  |   |  |            |
| Common  | Stock  |          |  | 03/01/2                       | 2021   |  |                      | S         |   | 2,000                       | Ι   | ) [           | \$122.5528  | 122.5528 <sup>(2)</sup> 3,881 D  |  |   |  |            |
| Common  | Stock  |          |  | 03/01/2                       | 2021   |  |                      | M         |   | 6,100                       | 5,100 A <b>\$</b> 59.96 9,981 D   |               |   |  |  |   |  |            |
| Common Stock 03/01/202  |  |          |  | 2021                          |  |  | S                    |           | 6,100   | I                           | )   9   | \$122.3424    | 424 <sup>(3)</sup> 3,881                            |  | D  |   |  |            |
|   |  |          | Table                                      |                               |  | Securities<br>, calls, war   |                      |           |   |                             |   |               |   | Owned  |  |   |  |            |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) |  |          | on Date,                                   | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (I<br>8) | ction Derivat<br>Instr. Securit<br>Acquire<br>or Disp<br>of (D) (I | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed<br>of (D) (Instr. 3,<br>4 and 5) |                      | piration  | kercisable and<br>n Date<br>ay/Year)                        |                             | 7. Title and Am<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Sect<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |               | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti | ive Own- ties Form cially Direct or In- ting (I) (Ir | nership<br>m:<br>ect (D)<br>ndirect<br>nstr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |            |
|   |  |          |  |                               |  |  |                      |           |   | Amount (Instr. 4) or Number |   |               |   |  |  |   |  |            |

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   |        |       | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | ate                | 7. Title and of Securiti Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 ar | ies<br>g<br>Security                   | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|-------|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)    | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   | (Instr. 4)   |  |  |
| Options<br>To<br>Purchase<br>Common<br>Stock        | \$39.87   | 03/01/2021                                 |   | M                            |   |        | 1,900 | (4)  | 03/01/2026         | Common<br>Stock   | 1,900                                  | \$0   | 0  | D  |  |
| Options<br>To<br>Purchase<br>Common<br>Stock        | \$41.93   | 03/01/2021                                 |   | М                            |   |        | 2,000 | (4)  | 03/01/2027         | Common<br>Stock   | 2,000                                  | \$0   | 2,000  | D  |  |
| Options<br>To<br>Purchase<br>Common<br>Stock        | \$59.96   | 03/01/2021                                 |   | М                            |   |        | 6,100 | (4)  | 03/01/2028         | Common<br>Stock   | 6,100                                  | \$0   | 5,400  | D  |  |
| Options<br>To<br>Purchase<br>Common<br>Stock        | \$122.55  | 03/01/2021                                 |   | A                            |   | 12,000 |       | (5)  | 03/01/2031         | Common<br>Stock   | 12,000                                 | \$0   | 12,000   | D  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$122.95 to \$123.09. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request of the Commission staff, CONMED, or a CONMED security holder.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$122.50 to \$122.68. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request of the Commission staff, CONMED, or a CONMED security holder.
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$122.05 to \$122.57. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request of the Commission staff, CONMED, or a CONMED security holder.
- 4. The stock options were granted under the Company's 2015 Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts over a five year period.
- 5. The stock options were granted under the Company's 2018 Long-Term Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts over a five year period

Sarah M. Oliker for Johonna M. Pelletier by Power of Attorney

03/03/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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