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 A JONAS D	ddress of Reporting	Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CONMED CORP</u> [CNMD]		tionship of Reporting Pe all applicable) Director	rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner			
			_	X	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		,	,			
			04/27/2018		EVP Legal Affairs, Gen. Counsel				
525 FRENCH ROAD									
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street)				Line)					
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)	
Common Stock	04/27/2018		М		4,680	Α	\$44.9	23,245	D		
Common Stock	04/27/2018		F		3,717	D	\$65.25	19,528	D		
Common Stock	04/27/2018		S		2,000	D	\$65.58 ⁽¹⁾	17,528	D		
Common Stock	04/27/2018		G ⁽²⁾	v	100	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>	17,428	D		
Common Stock	04/27/2018		G ⁽²⁾	v	100	A	\$0	100	I	Daughter	
Common Stock	04/27/2018		G ⁽³⁾	v	100	D	\$0	17,328	D		
Common Stock	04/27/2018		G ⁽³⁾	v	100	A	\$0	100	I	Daughter	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Sars (Stock Appreciation Rights)	\$44.9	04/27/2018		М			4,680	(4)	06/01/2024	Common Stock	4,680	\$0	3,120	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 \$65.575 to \$65.589. 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. This transaction is a gift of securities by the reporting person to his daughter, who shares the reporting person's household.

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4. The stock appreciation rights ("SARs") were granted under the Company's 1999 Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts over a five year period.

Daniel S. Jonas

** Signature of Reporting Person

04/30/2018

Date

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

 \ast 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).

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