## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>®</sup> SHALLISH ROBERT D JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONMED CORP [ CNMD ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4375 OLYMPUS HEIGHTS				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/03/2006								X	Offic belo	,		er (specify ow)			
(Street) SYRACU (City)	SYRACUSE NY 13215				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								r)	6. Indi Line) X	Form Form	lual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/				/Year) i	Execution Date,			3. Transac Code (Ir 8)			urities Acquired (A sed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			Secur	icially d	6. Ownersh Form: Dire (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) ( (D)	or Prie	e	Repo Trans		(	(	
Common Stock 06/30/20					006	06 07/03/2006		06	Α		87	A	\$1	\$19.665		2,869	D		
	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)	Execu if any			ransaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4) Amoun or Numbo		of Der Sec (Ins	rice ivative urity dr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (l or Indir (I) (Instr 4)	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

## <u>/s/ Robert D. Shallish Jr.</u> 07/05/2006

\*\* 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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