## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> DANIELS BRUCE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CONMED CORP</u> [ CNMD ]								(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last)	(Fir	,			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/06/2005										er (give title		er (specify		
3 SUNNYSIDE DRIVE					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) UTICA	NY 13501												X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	(Zip)																
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
				2. Transact Date (Month/Day		Execution Date,		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired ( Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)				Secur Benef Owne	ficially d	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(A (D	) or )	Price			(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 05/				05/06/2	5/06/2005				S		142		D	\$30.66		3,233	D		
Common Stock 05/06/				05/06/2	.005				S		2,870		D \$30.49			363			
Common Stock 05/06/20					005	005			S		363		D	\$30.36		0	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)	if any	tion Date,	4. Transae Code (I 8)	5. Number of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		str.	Price erivative ecurity hstr. 5)	ve Securities Beneficiall	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		
			Code	v	(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	or	ount nber res							

Explanation of Responses:

## 05/10/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Bruce F. Daniels

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).

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