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* <u>Hartman Curt R</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONMED CORP [CNMD]								ck all applica	ble)	ting Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CONMED CORP 525 FRENCH ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2019								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO				
(Street) UTICA NY 13502					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line)	x idividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable x Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)														
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Da				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execution (2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.) 8)		ies Acquire Of (D) (Ins	d (A) or tr. 3, 4 and 5	Beneficial Owned Fo	ly	Form:	Direct Indirect tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 03/0					/2019			М		1,950	A	\$0	44,454		D		
Common Stock 03/0					/2019			М		2,250	A	\$0	46,704			D	
			Table II -							osed of, onvertib			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo	Cod	ransaction Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		of Securities		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e s ully	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Cod	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)			
Options To Purchase Common Stock	\$78.76	03/01/2019		A		200,000		(1)		03/01/2029	Common Stock	200,000	\$0	200,00	00	D	
Rsus (restricted Stock Units)	\$0	03/01/2019		М			1,950	(2)		02/27/2025	Common Stock	1,950	\$0	0		D	
Rsus (restricted Stock Units)	\$0	03/01/2019		М			2,250	(3)		03/01/2026	Common Stock	2,250	\$0	2,250	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 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
- 2. Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of ConMed Corporation (the "Company") and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Company's 2006 Stock Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts (25%) over a four year period.
- 3. Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of ConMed Corporation (the "Company") and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Company's 2015 Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts (25%) over a four year period.

/s/ Daniel S. Jonas for Curt R. Hartman by Power of Attorney

03/05/2019

** 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).
- ** 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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