## FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> CORASANTI JOSEPH J						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CONMED CORP</u> [ CNMD ]									neck all	nship of Reporti applicable) lirector	ing P	erson(s) to I 10% C	
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/12/2008										Officer (give title elow)		Other below)	(specify
101 WINSHIP ROAD														President & CEO					
(Street)					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable .ine)				
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(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	(ip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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Common Stock 08/12/20					008	08		S		11		D	\$31.	76	33,987		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)	Execut if any	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ction nstr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/I		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivat Securit (Instr. <del>(</del>	derivative ive Securities y Beneficially	y	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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<u>/s/Daniel S. Jonas for Joseph J.</u> Corasanti by Power of 03

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Attorney

\*\* 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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