

FORM 4

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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* <u>WOODARD GERALD G</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 3983 MORENO DRIVE (Street) PALM HARBOR FL 34685 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CONMED CORP [CNMD]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>PRESIDENT LINVATEC</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/30/2007</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		7,501	A	\$16.96	7,795	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		6,008	A	\$14.22	13,803	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		3,001	A	\$10.71	16,804	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		6,000	A	\$25.89	22,804	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		8,000	A	\$17.74	30,804	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		6,000	A	\$25.03	36,804	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		M		276	A	\$19.93	37,080	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		F		92	D	\$31.58	37,080	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		23,449	D	\$31	13,631	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		500	D	\$31.02	13,131	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		400	D	\$31.05	12,731	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		400	D	\$31.06	12,331	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		600	D	\$31.07	11,731	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		605	D	\$31.08	11,126	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		100	D	\$31.09	11,026	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		1,050	D	\$31.1	9,976	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		200	D	\$31.11	9,776	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		4,091	D	\$31.12	5,685	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		500	D	\$31.13	5,185	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		100	D	\$31.14	5,085	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		4,342	D	\$31.2	743	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		367	D	\$31.21	376	D	
Common Stock	05/30/2007		S		100	D	\$31.22	276	D	
Common Stock	05/31/2007		S		276	D	\$31.26	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)	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				
SAR's (Stock Appreciation Rights) ⁽¹⁾	\$19.93	05/30/2007		M		1,000		05/16/2007	05/16/2017	Common Stock	1,000	\$0	4,000	D	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$25.89	05/30/2007		M		6,000		05/14/2003	05/14/2012	Common Stock	6,000	\$0	46,510	D	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$17.74	05/30/2007		M		8,000		05/20/2004	05/20/2013	Common Stock	8,000	\$0	38,510	D	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$25.03	05/30/2007		M		6,000		05/18/2005	05/18/2014	Common Stock	6,000	\$0	32,510	D	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$10.71	05/30/2007		M		3,001		07/20/2001	07/20/2010	Common Stock	3,001	\$0	29,509	D	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$14.22	05/30/2007		M		6,008		05/15/2002	05/15/2011	Common Stock	6,008	\$0	23,501	D	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$16.96	05/30/2007		M		7,501		06/06/2001	06/06/2010	Common Stock	7,501	\$0	16,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. On May 30, 2007, the Reporting Person exercised 1,000 SARs at \$19.93 as reported on Table II which, at the closing price of \$31.58 on that day, resulted in the 276 shares being issued to the Reporting person and 92 shares being withheld for taxes, as reported on Table I.

/s/ Gerald G. Woodard 06/01/2007

** 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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