NUVASIVE INC Form 4

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hannon Jason			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NUVASIVE INC [NUVA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
7475 LUSK BI	LVD		(Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2015	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, Int'l and General Counsel		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN DIEGO, O	CA 92121		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	09/01/2015		Code V M	Amount 413	or (D)	Price \$ 38.94	(Instr. 3 and 4) 18,978 (1)	D	
Stock Common Stock	09/01/2015		M	96,095	A	\$ 38.94	115,073 (1)	D	
Common Stock	09/01/2015		F	84,546 (2)	D	\$ 52.01	30,527 (1)	D	
Common Stock	09/01/2015		S	11,770 (3)	D	\$ 52.02 (4)	18,757 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	09/02/2015		S	192 (3)	D	\$ 51.97	18,565 <u>(1)</u>	D	

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.94	09/01/2015		M	413	<u>(5)</u>	01/04/2018	Common Stock	413
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.94	09/01/2015		M	96,095	<u>(6)</u>	01/04/2018	Common Stock	96,095

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hannon Jason 7475 LUSK BLVD SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

EVP, Int'l and General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Jason M. Hannon 09/03/2015

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Shares directly held by the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person also holds conditional rights to receive shares pursuant to previously disclosed Issuer equity awards.
- (2) Payment of exercise price and tax liability by Issuer's withholding of shares incident to the respective option exercise.
- (3) Sales effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan adopted by the Reporting Person, which is intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1.
 - Weighted average sales price from sales transactions ranging from \$51.67 to \$52.26. Upon request by the Commission staff or a security
- (4) holder of the Issuer, either the Issuer or the Reporting Person will undertake to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (5) The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 3,905 shares, was granted on January 4, 2008 and is fully vested.
- (6) The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 96,095 shares, was granted on January 4, 2008 and is fully vested.

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