

LIFELINE SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

December 16, 2002

SEC Form 4

FORM 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).	UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940		OMB APPROVAL <hr style="border: 1px solid black;"/> OMB Number: 3235-0287 Expires: January 31, 2005 Estimated average burden hours per response: 0.5
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Shapiro L. Dennis <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> (Last) (First) </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> (Middle) </div> 24 Essex Road <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> (Street) </div> Chestnut Hill, MA 02467 <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> (City) (State) </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> (Zip) </div>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Lifeline Systems LIFE 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year 12/13/02 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) Description <hr style="border: 1px solid black;"/> 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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/D	Price			
Common Stock	12/13/02		S		2000	D	\$21.50	446,602	D	
Common Stock								35,312	I	By wife
Common Stock								4,124	I	As custodian for children
Common Stock								17,062	I	By children
Common Stock	12/13/02		S		1000	D	\$21.518	9,795	I	By wife as custodian for children

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Common Stock								169,375(1)	I	Trusts
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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. Conver- sion or Exercise Price of Deri- vative 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 (ED) (Month/ Day/ Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (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. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.4)	11. Na In Be Ov (In
				Code	V	A	D	DE	ED	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Represents shares held in various trusts in which the reporting person and/or his wife are trustees for various family members. The reporting person disclaims beneficial interest in these shares except to the extent of any pecuniary interest.

By:
/s/ Sheryl Sigrist UPA L. Dennis Shapiro
12/16/02

** Signature of Reporting Person
Date

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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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