

PAPA JOSEPH C
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PAPA JOSEPH C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PERRIGO COMPANY, 515
EASTERN AVENUE

(Street)

ALLEGAN, MI 49010

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PERRIGO CO [PRGO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/01/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President and CEO / Chairman

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
Common Stock	12/01/2008		M	A	\$ 17.29 72,595	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2008		S	D	\$ 33.1951 70,397 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2008		M	A	\$ 17.29 98,199	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2008		S	D	\$ 33.0275 70,397 <u>(2)</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. 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 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	\$ 17.29	12/01/2008		M	2,198	08/16/2007 08/16/2016	Common Stock 17,043
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 17.29	12/02/2008		M	14,845	08/16/2007 08/16/2016	Common Stock 14,845
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 17.29	12/02/2008		M	12,957	08/16/2008 08/16/2019	Common Stock 17,043

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PAPA JOSEPH C C/O PERRIGO COMPANY 515 EASTERN AVENUE ALLEGAN, MI 49010	X		President and CEO	Chairman

Signatures

Joseph C. Papa

12/03/2008

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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The price in column 4 is a weighted average. The prices actually received ranged from \$32.96 to \$33.29. For all transactions reported in

(1) this Form 4 utilizing a weighted average price, the reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.

(2) The price in column 4 is a weighted average. The prices actually received ranged from \$32.85 to \$33.25.

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