

INVACARE CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Gudbranson Robert K

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
ONE INVACARE WAY  
(Street)  
ELYRIA, OH 44035  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
INVACARE CORP [IVC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/15/2011

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)  
Sr. VP and CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Common Shares                   | 11/15/2011                           |                                                    | F                              | (A) or (D)<br>D                                                   | Amount<br>1,885<br>(1)<br>Price<br>\$ 21.2                                                    | 29,022                                                   | D                                 |

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)**

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| 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 | 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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) |
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| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | (2) |  |  |  |  | Date Exercisable (3) | Expiration Date (3) | Title         | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------|-----|--|--|--|--|----------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------------------------|
|                                      |     |  |  |  |  |                      |                     | Common Shares | 124,300                    |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                              | Relationships |           |                |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
|                                                             | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer        | Other |
| Gudbranson Robert K<br>ONE INVACARE WAY<br>ELYRIA, OH 44035 |               |           | Sr. VP and CFO |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Robert K. Gudbranson, by Kristofer K. Spreen, his attorney-in-fact pursuant to Power of Attorney, dated February 12, 2009, on file with the Commission 11/17/2011

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## 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) The surrender of these shares is for tax withholding purposes in conjunction with the vesting of restricted shares held by the reporting person.
- (2) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 3, Form 4, or Form 5.
- (3) The reporting person holds previously reported options to buy 124,300 Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, granted in reliance upon the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3. All options were granted between April 1, 2008 and September 2, 2011, at exercise prices between \$20.48 and \$25.79 per share, will expire between April 1, 2018 and September 2, 2021 and became or will become exercisable between March 31, 2009 and September 30, 2015.

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