

Cardiovascular Systems Inc  
Form 4  
August 31, 2015

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Thatcher Robert J.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1225 OLD HIGHWAY 8 NW

(Street)

ST. PAUL, MN 55112

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

Cardiovascular Systems Inc [CSII]

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

08/27/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Chief Healthcare Policy Offr

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/27/2015		D	(A) or (D) 5,983 (1)	\$ 0 132,260	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 (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)	8. Price of Deriva Securit (Instr. 3)
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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Code	V	(A)	(D)						
						(2)	10/16/2015	Common Stock	64,700
Stock Option (right to buy)		\$ 12.37							
						(2)	04/17/2017	Common Stock	265
Stock Option (right to buy)		\$ 8.83							
						(2)	12/11/2017	Common Stock	32,350
Stock Option (right to buy)		\$ 12.15							

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Thatcher Robert J. 1225 OLD HIGHWAY 8 NW ST. PAUL, MN 55112			Chief Healthcare Policy Off'r	

## Signatures

/s/ Amanda Schmall as Attorney-in-Fact for Robert J. Thatcher pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed. 08/31/2015

\_\_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) Represents shares of restricted stock granted in August 2014 that have been forfeited based on performance achieved for total shareholder return and annual revenue growth for fiscal 2015 versus the Company's peer group.

(2) Fully exercisable.

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