

NUVASIVE INC  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Miles Patrick

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
7475 LUSK BLVD.  
(Street)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NUVASIVE INC [NUVA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/04/2014

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, Global Prod & Svcs

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price   |
| Common Stock                    | 11/04/2014                           |  | M                              |   | 15,413  | A  | \$ 18.31  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 62,914 <sup>(1)</sup>                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 11/04/2014                           |  | S                              |   | 15,413  | D  | \$ 41.2388  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 47,501 <sup>(1)</sup>                                 |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | <sup>(2)</sup>  |
| Common Stock                    | 11/04/2014                           |  | M                              |   | 5,564   | A  | \$ 23.24  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 53,065 <sup>(1)</sup>                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 11/04/2014                           |  | S                              |   | 5,564   | D  | \$ 41.2388  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 47,501 <sup>(1)</sup>                                 |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | <sup>(2)</sup>  |
|                                 | 11/04/2014                           |  | M                              |   | 8,767   | A  | \$ 23.24  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 56,268 <sup>(1)</sup>                                 |

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(2)

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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code V                         | (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title   |                            |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 18.31   | 01/03/2006                           |  | M                              | 15,413  | <u>(3)</u> 01/03/2016                                    | Common Stock  | 15,413                     |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 23.24   | 01/16/2007                           |  | M                              | 5,564   | <u>(4)</u> 01/16/2017                                    | Common Stock  | 5,564                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 23.24   | 01/16/2007                           |  | M                              | 8,767   | <u>(5)</u> 01/16/2017                                    | Common Stock  | 8,767                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |                               |       |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                       | Other |
|                                |               |           | President, Global Prod & Svcs |       |

Miles Patrick  
7475 LUSK BLVD.  
SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

## Signatures

/s/ Jason M. Hannon, Attorney-in-Fact for Patrick S.  
Miles

11/06/2014

\_\_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) Shares directly held by the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person also holds conditional rights to receive or purchase (as appropriate) shares pursuant to previously disclosed Company equity awards.  
  
Weighted average from 235 transactions with prices ranging from \$41.10 to \$41.55. Upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer or
- (2) a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will undertake to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.  
  
The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 39,061 shares, became exercisable as follows: 25% of the shares vested on January
- (3) 3, 2007; 1/48th of the remaining shares vested monthly thereafter so that all shares were fully vested as of January 3, 2010, subject to continued employment through each vesting period.  
  
The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 5,564 shares, became exercisable as follows: 25% of the shares vested on January
- (4) 16, 2008; 1/48th of the remaining shares vested monthly thereafter so that all shares were fully vested as of January 16, 2011, subject to continued employment through each vesting period.  
  
The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 94,436 shares, became exercisable as follows: 25% of the shares vested on January
- (5) 16, 2008; 1/48th of the remaining shares vested monthly thereafter so that all shares were fully vested as of January 16, 2011, subject to continued employment through each vesting period.

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