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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KENNEDY JOHN JED

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

CONMED CORP [CNMD] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/27/2015

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

C/O CONMED

CORPORATION, 525 FRENCH **ROAD**

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

VP GM GI

(Street)

(State)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

UTICA, NY 13502

(City)

(Instr. 3)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

5. Number of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8	8)	Securities Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) ed of	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Rsus (restricted Stock Units)	\$ 0	02/27/2015		A		1,600		<u>(1)</u>	02/27/2025	Common Stock	1,60
Sars (Stock Appreciation Rights)	\$ 51.3	02/27/2015		A		24,400		(2)	02/27/2025	Common Stock	24,40

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips								
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					

KENNEDY JOHN JED C/O CONMED CORPORATION 525 FRENCH ROAD UTICA, NY 13502

VP GM GI

Signatures

Daniel S. Jonas for John Jed Kennedy by Power of Attorney

03/03/2015

**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).
- Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of

 (1) ConMed Corporation (the "Company") and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Company's 1999 Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts (25%) over a four year period.
- (2) The stock appreciation rights ("SARs") were granted under the Company's 1999 Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan and generally vest in equal amounts (20%) over a five year period.

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