#### **CORNESS JOHN B**

Form 4 October 20, 2008

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

CORNESS JOHN B	Symbol POLARIS INDUSTRIES INC/MN [PII]					Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) 2100 HIGHWAY 55	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2008				Director X Officer (give to below) VP Hu		Owner or (specify	
			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 Person		
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Ye (Instr. 3)		Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of	5) Price	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 10/16/2008			M	2,376	A	\$ 17.3125	40,049	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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	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	
Empl. Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.3125	10/16/2008		M	2,370	5 01/15/2002	01/15/2009	Common Stock	2,376	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

CORNESS JOHN B 2100 HIGHWAY 55 MEDINA, MN 55340

**VP Human Resources** 

# **Signatures**

Peggy James, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*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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