NOVAMED INC Form 4 February 25, 2008

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 * HART JOHN P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	NOVAMED INC [NOVA] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
980 N. MICH AVENUE, S			(Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2008	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Corporate Controller		
	(Street)		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		
CHICAGO, IL 60611				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	s	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		Transactio	nAcquired (A	A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of	f (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 a	and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					A >	Reported		
					A)	Transaction(s)		
			Code V		or D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/21/2008		F	130 E		10,544 (6)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Price Derivar Securit (Instr. :
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.039					<u>(1)</u>	09/29/2013	Common Stock	60,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.45					(2)	03/16/2014	Common Stock	25,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.96					(3)	06/16/2015	Common Stock	30,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.87					<u>(5)</u>	06/20/2016	Common Stock	17,500	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.35					<u>(7)</u>	02/21/2017	Common Stock	17,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships			
Transfer and the same and the s	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HART JOHN P 980 N. MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 1620 CHICAGO, IL 60611			VP, Corporate Controller			

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/S/ JOHN P. 02/25/2008 HART

**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) Subject to certain restrictions, 7,500 of these options vested on 3/28/04, with the remainder vesting 1,250 per month starting on 4/28/04.
- (2) Subject to certain restrictions, 3,125 of these options vested on 9/16/04, with the remainder vesting 520 per month starting on 10/16/04.
- (3) Subject to certain restrictions, 3,750 of these options vested on 12/17/05, with the remainder vesting 625 per month starting on 1/17/06.
- (4) Represents the disposition of shares to the Issuer to fund the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligations relating to the vesting on 2/21/08 of 365 shares of a restricted stock award, as permitted pursuant to the terms of the award.
- (5) Subject to certain restrictions, 2,188 of these options vested on 12/20/06 with the remainder vesting approximately 365 per month starting on 1/20/07.
- (6) Includes 8,021 restricted shares of common stock.
- (7) Subject to certain restrictions, 2,188 of these options vested on 8/21/07 with the remainder vesting approximately 365 per month starting on 9/21/07.

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