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Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

			STRYKER CORP [syk]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2007				Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
	(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 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed 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	01/31/2007			S	67,813	D	\$ 61.8083 (1)	932,187	D		
Common Stock	01/31/2007			S	19,687	D	\$ 62.22 (2)	912,500	D		
Common Stock	02/01/2007			S	65,898	D	\$ 62.4596 (3)	846,602	D		
Common Stock	02/01/2007			S	9,702	D	\$ 62.7008	836,900	D		

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Common Stock	22,999,233 (5)	I	By L Lee Stryker Trust
Common Stock	1,193,542 (6)	I	By Revocable Trust
Common Stock	502,208	I	By Family LLC

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. conNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	ant of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

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

Pat Stryker 02/02/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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 the average price for transactions in a range from \$61.51 to \$62.00.
- (2) Represents the average price for transactions in a range from \$62.01 to \$62.32.
- (3) Represents the average price for transactions in a range from \$62.09 to \$62.59.
- (4) Represents the average price for transactions in a range from \$62.60 to \$62.92.
- (5) 1,207,151 shares were distributed by the L. Lee Stryker Trust to The Revocable Trust on 1/5/2007.
- (6) 1,000,000 shares were distributed by The Revocable Trust on 1/30/2007 of which 163,100 have been sold.

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