BLAIR JAMES C Form 4 November 15, 2005

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BLAIR JAMES C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NUVASIVE INC [NUVA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC, ONE PALMER SQUARE			(Month/Day/Year) 11/11/2005	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
PRINCETO	N, NJ 0854	2	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	11/11/2005		S	41,017	D	\$ 16.71	635,813	I	By Domain Partners IV, L.P. (1)	
Common Stock	11/11/2005		S	983	D	\$ 16.71	10,199	I	By DP IV Associates, L.P. (1)	
Common Stock	11/14/2005		S	81,436	D	\$ 17.02	554,377	I	By Domain Partners IV, L.P. (1)	
Common Stock	11/14/2005		S	1,280	D	\$ 17.02	8,919	I	By DP IV Associates,	

L.P. (1)

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amoun Under! Securir (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other **BLAIR JAMES C** C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC X ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542

Signatures

Lisa A. Kraeutler, 11/15/2005 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).
- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The Reporting Person also indirectly beneficially owns 8,000 shares of Common Stock held by Domain Associates, L.L.C. and 9,340 shares of Common Stock held by One Palmer Square Associates IV, LLC. The Reporting Person is a managing member of Domain Associates, L.L.C. and a managing member of One Palmer Square Associates IV, L.L.C. which is the sole general partner of Domain Partners IV, L.P. and DP IV Associates, L.P. Pursuant to Instruction 4(b)(iv) of Form 4, the Reporting Person has elected to report as indirectly beneficially owned the entire number of securities beneficially owned by each such entity. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities, and any proceeds thereof, that exceed his pecuniary interest therein and/or that are not actually

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