

Darling Joseph G  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Darling Joseph G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O LINVATEC CORP., 11311  
CONCEPT BLVD.

(Street)

LARGO, FL 33773

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CONMED CORP [CNMD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
06/01/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

President Conmed Linvatec

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount (A) or (D) Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/01/2011                           |  | M                              |   | 1,500 A \$ 0  |  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 06/01/2011                           |  | F                              |   | 397 D \$ 27.63  |  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 06/01/2011                           |  | M                              |   | 800 A \$ 0  |  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 06/01/2011                           |  | F                              |   | 212 D \$ 27.63  |  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 06/01/2011                           |  | M                              |   | 800 A \$ 0  |  | D                                 |

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Common Stock      06/01/2011      F      212      D      \$ 27.63      4,973      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)

| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |  |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|--|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                      |  |
| Rsus (restricted Stock Units)              | \$ 0   | 06/01/2011                           |  | M                              | 1,500   | <u>(1)</u> 06/01/2018                                    | Common Stock  | 1,500                      |  |
| Rsus (restricted Stock Units)              | \$ 0   | 06/01/2011                           |  | M                              | 800   | <u>(2)</u> 06/01/2019                                    | Common Stock  | 800                        |  |
| Rsus (restricted Stock Units)              | \$ 0   | 06/01/2011                           |  | M                              | 800   | <u>(2)</u> 06/01/2020                                    | Common Stock  | 800                        |  |
| Rsus (restricted Stock Units)              | \$ 0   | 06/01/2011                           |  | A                              | 4,000   | <u>(2)</u> 06/01/2021                                    | Common Stock  | 4,000                      |  |

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

|   |   |                           |
|---|---|---------------------------|
| Darling Joseph G<br>C/O LINVATEC CORP.<br>11311 CONCEPT BLVD. | Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other | President Conmed Linvatec |
|---|---|---------------------------|

LARGO, FL 33773

## Signatures

Daniel S. Jonas for Joseph G. Darling by Power of  
Attorney

06/03/2011

\_\_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 2006 Stock Incentive Plan, with the RSUs generally vesting over a five year period with the first 20% of the RSU's vesting one year after the grant date.

Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of  
(2) 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, with the RSUs generally vesting over a five year period with the first 20% of the RSU's vesting one year after the grant date.

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