

GOODMEN WILLIAM WALTER

Form 4

May 09, 2012

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GOODMEN WILLIAM WALTER

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1911 WALKER AVE

(Street)

MONROVIA, CA 91016

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
STAAR SURGICAL CO [STAA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/09/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Global VP, Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/09/2012		M	6,666 A	\$ 5.49 22,266 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2012		S	5,815 D	\$ 10.29 16,451 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2012		S	147 D	\$ 10.31 16,304 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2012		S	400 D	\$ 10.32 15,904 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2012		S	200 D	\$ 10.33 15,704	D	

Common Stock	05/09/2012	S	104	D	\$ 10.34	15,600	D
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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)	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)	8. Deemed Settlement Date (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Options	\$ 5.49	05/09/2012		M	6,666	<u>(2)</u>	03/14/2021	Common Stock	6,666

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GOODMEN WILLIAM WALTER 1911 WALKER AVE MONROVIA, CA 91016			Global VP, Human Resources	

Signatures

/s/Samuel Gesten as
Attorney-in-Fact 05/09/2012

****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) Includes (i) 7,500 Performance Accelerated Restricted Shares of Common Stock, subject to forfeiture and vesting in a single installment on March 15, 2014, but subject to accelerated vesting as to 1/3 of the shares each year pursuant to achievement of certain performance criteria; and (ii) 7,500 Performance Accelerated Restricted Shares of Common Stock, subject to forfeiture and vesting in a single installment on March 2, 2015, but subject to accelerated vesting as to 1/3 of the shares each year pursuant to achievement of certain

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performance criteria; .

- (2) The 20,000 options originally granted first become exercisable as follows: 6,666 shares on 3/15/12, 6,667 shares on 3/15/13 and 6,667 shares on 3/15/14.

Remarks:

This Statement on Form 4 reports Mr. Goodmen's exercise of options to purchase an aggregate of 6,666 shares of STAAR Sur

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