

Hall Curtis E  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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 *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Hall Curtis E		(Month/Day/Year)	STRYKER CORP [syk]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	02/07/2006	
2725 FAIRFIELD ROAD		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Street)		(Check all applicable)		
KALAMAZOO,Â MIÂ 49002		<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) VP, General Counsel		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
			02/09/2006	
1. Title of Security		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned		3. Ownership
(Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)
Common Stock		303 <sup>(1)</sup>		(Instr. 5)
				4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
				(Instr. 5)
				By 401K Plan

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 4)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 4)			(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

Shares (1)  
(Instr. 5)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hall Curtis E 2725 FAIRFIELD ROAD KALAMAZOO, MI 49002	Â	Â	Â VP, General Counsel	Â

## Signatures

Curtis E Hall 02/09/2006

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Amending number of shares by 401K Plan.

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