STRYKER CORP

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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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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Berry William E Jr

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

STRYKER CORP [SYK]

(Check all applicable)

2825 AIRVIEW BLVD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/22/2016

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

below) VP, Corporate Controller

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

KALAMAZOO, MI 49002

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Seci	ırities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/22/2016		Code V M	Amount 5,400	(D)	Price \$ 53.6	6,859	D	
Common Stock	04/22/2016		F	3,520 (1)	D	\$ 109.31	3,339	D	
Common Stock	04/22/2016		S	1,880	D	\$ 109.227	1,459	D	
Common Stock	04/22/2016		S	1,459	D	\$ 109.2386 (2)	0	D	
Common Stock							293	I	By 401K

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out 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 II S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock	\$ 53.6	04/22/2016		M	5,400	<u>(3)</u>	02/20/2022	Common Stock	5,400	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Berry William E Jr 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD KALAMAZOO, MI 49002

VP, Corporate Controller

Signatures

Lauren E. Keller, attorney-in-fact for William E. Berry, Jr.

04/25/2016

**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) 3,520 shares were withheld to cover the option cost and applicable taxes.
- (2) Represents the average price for transactions in a range from \$109.237 to \$109.241.
- (3) Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Stryker Corporation 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan, exercisable as to 20% on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant.

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