**NUVASIVE INC** Form 4 February 03, 2015

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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 \* Powers Russell

(7:-

(Last) (First) (Middle)

7475 LUSK BLVD.

(Street)

(Ctota)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NUVASIVE INC [NUVA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2015

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

**OMB APPROVAL** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

EVP, International

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

### SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed 4 and 3 (A) or	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)
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 5 and 1)		
Common Stock	02/01/2015		A	32,197	A	\$ 0 (1)	83,027 (2)	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2015		F	10,814 (3)	D	\$ 46.32	72,213 (2)	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2015		A	3,750	A	\$ 0 (4)	75,963 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2015		F	1,573 (5)	D	\$ 46.32	74,390 (2)	D	
Common Stock	02/01/2015		A	6,133	A	\$ 0 (6)	80,523 (2)	D	

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Common Stock	02/01/2015	F	2,572 (7)	D	\$ 46.32	77,951 <u>(2)</u>	D
Common Stock	02/01/2015	A	3,664	A	\$ 0 (8)	81,615 (2)	D
Common Stock	02/01/2015	F	1,537 (9)	D	\$ 46.32	80,078 (2)	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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	<b>.</b>	ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Powers Russell
7475 LUSK BLVD. EVP, International

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

### **Signatures**

/s/ Jason M. Hannon, Attorney-in-Fact for Russell A.
Powers

02/03/2015

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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### **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) Settlement of the remaining one-half of the Performance Restricted Stock Units (PRSUs) granted on March 1, 2013. The performance criteria for such PRSUs was confirmed by the Issuer's Compensation Committee on January 24, 2014.
- (2) Shares directly held by the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person also holds conditional rights to receive or purchase (as appropriate) shares pursuant to previously disclosed Company equity awards.
- (3) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of PRSUs dated March 1, 2013.
- (4) Settlement of vested shares under Restricted Stock Unit grant dated February 27, 2012.
- (5) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of Restricted Stock Unit awards dated February 27, 2012.
- (6) Settlement of vested shares under Restricted Stock Unit grant dated March 1, 2013.
- (7) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of Restricted Stock Unit awards dated March 1, 2013.
- (8) Settlement of vested shares under Restricted Stock Unit grant dated February 19, 2014.
- (9) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting/settlement of Restricted Stock Unit awards dated February 19, 2014.

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