

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CASCELLA ROBERT

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
35 CROSBY DRIVE  
(Street)

BEDFORD, MA 01730

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
HOLOGIC INC [HOLX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/13/2012

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)  
CEO and President

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/13/2012		F	9,487 (1) D \$ 20.25	300,458	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2012		A	48,464 (2) A \$ 0	348,922	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2012		A	51,733 (3) A \$ 0	400,655	D	
Common Stock					783	I	By Spouse

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.86	11/14/2012		A	404,978	11/14/2013 <sup>(4)</sup>	11/14/2019	Common Stock

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CASCELLA ROBERT 35 CROSBY DRIVE BEDFORD, MA 01730	X		CEO and President	

### Signatures

/s/ Mark J. Casey, Attorney-In-Fact for Robert A. Cascella 11/15/2012

        \*\*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) The transaction reported herein reflects the disposition of 9,487 shares of common stock to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of a portion of restricted stock units previously awarded to the Reporting Person on November 13, 2008.
- (2) These shares represent restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded to the Reporting Person pursuant to the 2008 Equity Incentive Plan and are subject to vesting as provided in the agreement evidencing the award.
- (3) These shares represent market stock units (MSUs) awarded to the Reporting Person pursuant to the 2008 Equity Incentive Plan and are subject to vesting as provided in the agreement evidencing the award.
- (4) The option, issued pursuant to the 2008 Equity Incentive Plan, becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning November 14, 2013.

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