Koehn Paul A Form 4 August 20, 2012

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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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08/16/2012

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08/20/2012

Stock

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Common

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. 1 Koehn Paul A Sym			ner Name and Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer							
(T)	(F')		ovascular Systems Inc [CSII	(Check all applicable)							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle) 3. Date	of Earliest Transaction								
651 CAMP	PUS DRIVE	(Month/ 08/16/	/Day/Year) /2012	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP Quality & Operations							
	(Street)	4. If Am	nendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check							
ST. PAUL,	, MN 55112		Ionth/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or								
Common	08/16/2012		S(1) 000 D 87	7296 72 225 D							

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(2) \$

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\$ 8.971

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70,146

8.7507 71,168

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.83					<u>(5)</u>	04/17/2017	Common Stock	35,585	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.83					<u>(5)</u>	04/17/2017	Common Stock	1,294	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.9					<u>(5)</u>	06/11/2017	Common Stock	8,087	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.9					<u>(5)</u>	10/08/2017	Common Stock	12,940	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.15					(5)	12/11/2017	Common Stock	32,350	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.75					(5)	03/01/2019	Common Stock	8,087	
Warrant	\$ 8.83					02/25/2009	02/24/2014	Common Stock	940	

8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Koehn Paul A 651 CAMPUS DRIVE ST. PAUL, MN 55112

VP Quality & Operations

Signatures

/s/ Scott J. Dorfman as Attorney-in-Fact for Paul Koehn pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed.

08/20/2012

**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).
- In connection with the vesting and delivery of restricted stock, and pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 30, 2012, shares sold on each date, as well as the shares previously reported as sold on August 15, 2012, were sold and the net proceeds were used to pay required withholding taxes.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.60 to \$8.83 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Cardiovascular Systems, Inc., any security holder of Cardiovascular Systems, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.62 to \$8.90 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Cardiovascular Systems, Inc., any security holder of Cardiovascular Systems, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.79 to \$9.06 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Cardiovascular Systems, Inc., any security holder of Cardiovascular Systems, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (5) Fully exerciseable.

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