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February 15,	2012								
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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549							3235-0287		
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LAMBERT	Address of Reporting Person	2. 100 001 1 (0110 0110	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
LANDLKI	MICHALL	Symbol			155401				
		NUVASIVE INC	L [NUVA]		(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction							
			(Month/Day/Year)				b Owner		
7475 LUSK	BLVD	02/13/2012			XOfficer (give titleOther (specify below) below)				
					Executive	e Vice Pres. &	CFO		
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Da	ate Original		6. Individual or Jo	oint/Group Filin	ng(Check		
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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date 2A. I		if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Se			6. Ownership			
Security (Instr. 3)		ution Date, if Transacti Code				Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial		
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	(111)					(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
			(A)		Reported				
			or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
		Code V		Price	(msu. 5 and 4)				
Common	02/13/2012	А	31,355 A	\$0	31,355	D			
Stock			<u>(1)</u> A		,				

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	ate	7. Title Amoun Underl Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Own 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		
LAMBERT MICHAEL 7475 LUSK BLVD SAN DIEGO, CA 92121			Executive Vice Pres. & CFO			
Signatures						
/s/ Jason M. Hannon, Attorney-In-Fact	02/15/2012					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				
Explanation of Responses:						

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* 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) Represents an award of Restricted Stock Units that vest in 3 equal installments beginning on February 1, 2013.

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