**USAJ JOSEPH S** Form 4 August 24, 2007

## FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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

Form 4 or Form 5 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)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **USAJ JOSEPH S** 

(First)

(Street)

(State)

08/22/2007

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

INVACARE CORP [IVC]

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

08/22/2007

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

3.

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Senior VP - Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

ELYRIA, OH 44035

(City)

Common

Shares

ONE INVACARE WAY

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

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Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price 3,600

(1)

4. Securities

A

A

(A)

or

\$0 7,200 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)

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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. Number proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.71	08/22/2007		A(2)	2,250	09/30/2008	08/22/2017	Common Shares	2,250
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.71	08/22/2007		A <sup>(2)</sup>	2,250	09/30/2009	08/22/2017	Common Shares	2,250
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.71	08/22/2007		A(2)	2,250	09/30/2010	08/22/2017	Common Shares	2,250
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.71	08/22/2007		A(2)	2,250	09/30/2011	08/22/2017	Common Shares	2,250

# **Reporting Owners**

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

USAJ JOSEPH S ONE INVACARE WAY ELYRIA, OH 44035

Senior VP - Human Resources

# **Signatures**

/s/ Joseph S. Usaj, by Douglas A. Neary his attorney-in-fact, pursuant to Power of Attorney, dated August 24, 2004 on file with the Commission.

08/24/2007

\*\*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) Restricted shares granted pursuant to the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. These shares vest in 25% increments over four years beginning November 15, 2008.
- (2) The reporting person was granted options to purchase Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan in reliance upon an exemption provided under Rule 16b-3.
- The reporting person holds previously reported options to buy 53,100 Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, granted in reliance upon the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3. All options were granted between May 27, 2004 and August 23, 2006, at exercise prices between \$22.66 to \$44.30 per share, will expire between May 27, 2014 and August 23, 2016 and became or will become exercisable between March 31, 2005 and September 30, 2010.

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