**INVACARE CORP** 

Form 4

August 22, 2008

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* HARRIS C MARTIN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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ONE INVACARE WAY

(Middle)

INVACARE CORP [IVC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X Director

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

08/20/2008

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Person

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

Applicable Line)

ELYRIA, OH 44035

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired

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	Derivative Security				(A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)					
			Code \	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.79	08/20/2008	A <u>(1)</u>		1,729		09/30/2009	08/20/2018	Common Shares	1,729
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.79	08/20/2008	A <u>(1)</u>		1,730		09/30/2010	08/20/2018	Common Shares	1,730
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.79	08/20/2008	A <u>(1)</u>		1,730		09/30/2011	08/20/2018	Common Shares	1,730
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.79	08/20/2008	A(1)		1,730		09/30/2012	08/20/2018	Common Shares	1,730

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HARRIS C MARTIN							
ONE INVACARE WAY	X						
ELYRIA, OH 44035							

# **Signatures**

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

08/22/2008

\*\*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 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.
- (2) The current balance reflects the expiration of 997 options on February 15, 2008.

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The reporting person holds previously reported options to buy 30,328 Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 1994 Performance Plan and the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, granted in reliance upon the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3. All options were granted between February 5, 2003 and August 22, 2007, at exercise prices between \$22.68 to \$47.01 per share, will expire between February 15, 2009 and August 22, 2017 and became or will become exercisable between December 31, 2003 and September 30, 2011.

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