MOSS ROBERT E

Form 4

August 06, 2012

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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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MOSS ROBERT E Issuer Symbol STERIS CORP [STE] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 5960 HEISLEY ROAD 08/03/2012 below) Senior Vice President (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, 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)	recution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	or (Instr. 3 and 4)						
Common Shares, No Par Value	08/03/2012		M	9,000	A	\$ 24.45	33,512	D		
Common Shares, No Par Value	08/03/2012		S(1)	9,000	D	\$ 32.5	24,512	D		
Common Shares, No Par Value	08/06/2012		M	9,000	A	\$ 24.45	33,512	D		
Common Shares, No	08/06/2012		S(2)	9,000	D	\$ 33	24,512 (3)	D		

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		88 II SS ((
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 24.45	08/03/2012		M	9,000	(5)	06/16/2015	Common Shares, No Par Value	9,000	
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 24.45	08/06/2012		M	9,000	<u>(6)</u>	06/16/2015	Common Shares, No Par Value	9,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MOSS ROBERT E 5960 HEISLEY ROAD

Senior Vice President

MENTOR, OH 44060

Signatures

/s/ Dennis P. Patton, Authorized Representative under Power of Attorney 08/06/2012

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**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) These open market sales of a total of 9,000 Common Shares is pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Stock Trading Plan entered into by the Reporting Person on June 6, 2012.
- (2) These open market sales of a total of 9,000 Common Shares is pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Stock Trading Plan entered into by the Reporting Person on June 6, 2012.
- 9,800 of these Common Shares are restricted. The restrictions on these Common Shares lapse as follows: 500 on October 8, 2012, 4,500
 (3) on May 20, 2014, 800 on May 31, 2013, 800 on June 2, 2014, 800 on June 1, 2015, 800 on May 30, 2013, 800 on May 30, 2014 and 800 on June 1, 2015.
- (4) This indirect ownership by Mr. Moss is through the Moss Family Trust, Robert E. Moss and Patricia J. Moss as Co-Trustees dated May 24, 1999.
- (5) These options become exercisable as follows: 4,500 on May 16, 2006 and 4,500 on May 16, 2007.
- (6) These options become exercisable as follows: 4,500 on May 16, 2008 and 4,500 on May 16, 2009.

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