

INVACARE CORP  
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**FORM 5**

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

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MIXON AARON MALACHI III

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE INVACARE WAY

(Street)

ELYRIA, OH 44035

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
INVACARE CORP [IVC]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Amount	(A) or (D) Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares	12/02/2011	Â	G	2,900	D	\$ 0	266,363	D	Â
Common Shares	12/02/2011	Â	G	4,800	D	\$ 0	13,669	I	By Spouse (1)
Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12,289	I	By GRAT (1) (2)
Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12,288	I	By GRAT (3)

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Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	129,970	I	By GRAT <u>(4)</u>
Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	129,970	I	By GRAT <u>(1) (5)</u>
Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	18,955.58	I	By Invacare Retirement Savings Plan <u>(6)</u>
Class B Common Shares	09/12/2011	Â	G	247,000	D	\$ 0	456,912	D	Â
Class B Common Shares	09/12/2011	Â	G	123,500	A	\$ 0	123,500	I	By GRAT <u>(7)</u>
Class B Common Shares	09/12/2011	Â	G	123,500	A	\$ 0	123,500	I	By Spouse <u>(1)</u>
Class B Common Shares	09/12/2011	Â	G	123,500	D	\$ 0	0	I	By Spouse <u>(1)</u>
Class B Common Shares	09/12/2011	Â	G	123,500	A	\$ 0	123,500	I	By GRAT <u>(8)</u>

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. D	S
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â Â	Â <u>(10)</u>	Â <u>(10)</u>	Common Shares	1,114,600

Buy)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MIXON AARON MALACHI III ONE INVACARE WAY ELYRIA, OH 44035	X	A	A Chairman	A

## Signatures

/s/ A. Malachi  
Mixon

02/06/2012

\*\*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).
- (1) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
  - (2) Owned by the Trustee for the 1997 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust created by the reporting person's spouse.
  - (3) Owned by the Trustee for the 1997 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust created by the reporting person.
  - (4) Owned by the Trustee for the 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust created by the reporting person.
  - (5) Owned by the Trustee for the 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust created by the reporting person's spouse.
  - (6) Owned by the Trustee for the Invacare Retirement Savings Plan. The information given is based on a Plan Statement of December 31, 2011, the most recent information reasonably available.
  - (7) Owned by the Trustee for the 2011 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust created by the reporting person.
  - (8) Owned by the Trustee for the 2011 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust created by the reporting person's spouse.
  - (9) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 3, Form 4, or Form 5.
  - (10) The reporting person holds previously reported options to buy 1,114,600 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 August 21, 2002 and September 2, 2011, at exercise prices between \$20.48 to \$44.30 per share, will expire between August 21, 2012 and September 2, 2021 and became or will become exercisable between September 30, 2003 and September 30, 2015.

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