NanoString Technologies Inc Form 3 June 25, 2013 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Norden Gregory		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NanoString Technologies Inc [NSTG]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	06/25/2013	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
530 FAIRVI	EW AVEN	UE					`` ` `	
N., SUITE	2000		(Check all applicable)					
	(Street)	00		X Director Officer (give title below	Other		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	lon-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owner (Instr.	•	
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)								
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

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				(Instr. 5)			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(<u>1)</u>	07/16/2022 Common Stock	10,406 <u>(2)</u> \$ 1.92	D	Â		
Reporting Owners							
Reporting Owner Name / Ac	ldress	Relationships					

Reporting owner runne / runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Norden Gregory 530 FAIRVIEW AVENUE N. SUITE 2000 SEATTLE, WA 98109	ÂX	Â	Â	Â
Signatures				

/s/ Barbara Mery, Attorney-in-fact	06/25/2013		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) 25% of the shares subject to the Option vest on the one year anniversary of July 17, 2012 (the "Vesting Commencement Date"), and thereafter 1/48th of the shares subject to the Option vest on each monthly annivesary of the Vesting Commencement Date.
- (2) Reflects a 1-for-32 reverse stock split of the Issuer's outstanding shares effected June 12, 2013.

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