

SRI SURGICAL EXPRESS INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 PETERSON WAYNE R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SRI SURGICAL EXPRESS INC
 [STRC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)

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

2779 CAMDEN ROAD

07/13/2012

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CLEARWATER, FL 33759

(City) (State) (Zip)

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) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 07/13/2012 | | U | | 42,608 | D | \$ 3.7 0 | I | By Wayne R. Peterson Grantor Retained Annuity Trust |
| Common Stock | 07/13/2012 | | U | | 42,609 | D | \$ 3.7 0 | I | By Theresa A. Peterson Grantor Retained |

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|--------------|------------|--|---|---------|---|--------|---|---|---|
| Common Stock | 07/13/2012 | | U | 31,044 | D | \$ 3.7 | 0 | I | Annuity Trust By Wayne R. Peterson & Theresa A. Peterson, as tenants by the entireties |
| Common Stock | 07/13/2012 | | U | 127,811 | D | \$ 3.7 | 0 | I | By Peterson Partners, Ltd. |

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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 1.35 | 07/16/2012 | | D | 15,000 | <u>(1)</u> 05/22/2019 | Common Stock | 15,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PETERSON WAYNE R 2779 CAMDEN ROAD CLEARWATER, FL 33759 | | X | | |

Signatures

Mark R. Faris, SRI./Surgical Express, Inc.,
Attorney-in-fact

07/16/2012

__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).

This option, which provided for vesting evenly over a three year period from May 21, 2009, was cancelled in exchange for a cash
(1) payment of \$35,250 (less any applicable withholdings), which represents the product of the number of shares covered by this option multiplied by the amount per share by which the per share amount of \$3.70 exceeds the exercise price per share under this option.

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