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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Michels Douglas A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES INC [OSUR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 220 EAST FIRE	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/30/2012	X Director 10% Owner Selficer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
BETHLEHEM	I , PA 18015		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3,	ed of (` ′	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)
Common stock	03/30/2012		M	25,000	A	\$ 7.765	609,502	D	
Common stock	03/30/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	25,000	D	\$ 11.5284	584,502	D	
Common stock	04/02/2012	03/31/2012	F(2)	3,073	D	\$ 11.42	581,429	D	
Common stock	04/02/2012		M	25,000	A	\$ 7.765	606,429	D	
Common stock	04/02/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	25,000	D	\$ 11.4431	581,429	D	

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Common stock	04/03/2012	M	25,000	A	\$ 7.765	606,429	D	
Common stock	04/03/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	25,000	D	\$ 11.4714	581,429	D	
Common						5,400	I	By son.

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date Une		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Incentive stock option	\$ 7.765	03/30/2012		M	25,000	(3)	06/22/2014	Common stock	25,00
Incentive stock option	\$ 7.765	04/02/2012		M	25,000	<u>(3)</u>	06/22/2014	Common stock	25,00
Incentive stock option	\$ 7.765	04/03/2012		M	1,512	<u>(3)</u>	06/22/2014	Common stock	1,51
Nonqualified stock option	\$ 7.765	04/03/2012		M	23,488	<u>(4)</u>	06/22/2014	Common stock	23,48

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
.r. g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Michels Douglas A							
220 EAST FIRST STREET	X		President & CEO				
BETHLEHEM, PA 18015							

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Signatures

Mark L. Kuna, As Attorney-In-Fact for Douglas A. Michels, (Power of Attorney previously filed)

04/03/2012

**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) Sale pursuant to a predetermined sales plan, entered into on February 28, 2012, under Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act of
- (2) Withholding of shares to pay the tax liability associated with vesting of restricted shares.
- (3) Incentive stock options granted on June 22, 2004 vesting and exercisable over a four year period, with one-fourth of the options vesting on the first anniversary date of the grant and the remainder vesting ratably on a monthly basis, over the remaining 36 months.
- (4) Nonqualified stock options granted on June 22, 2004, vesting and exercisable over a four year period, with one-fourth of the options vesting on the first anniversary date of the grant and the remainder vesting ratably on a monthly basis, over the remaining 36 months.

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