PERRIGO CO

Form 4

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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 * Tomshack James

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

PERRIGO CO [PRGO]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

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

Director X_ Officer (give title 10% Owner

C/O PERRIGO COMPANY, 515

EASTERN AVENUE

12/05/2008

below)

Other (specify

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Senior VP of CHC Sales

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Person

ALLEGAN, MI 49010

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative Secu	rities Acqui	red, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Adord Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A) or Amount (D)	(D) 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)
Common Stock	12/05/2008		M	13,000 A	\$ 9.84	17,500	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2008		S	13,000 D	\$ 31.1801 (1)	4,500	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 9.84	12/05/2008		M		1,999	08/06/2005	08/06/2012	Common Stock	1,999
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 9.84	12/05/2008		M		6,000	08/06/2006	08/06/2012	Common Stock	6,000
Employee Stock Option Right to Buy	\$ 9.84	12/05/2008		M		5,001	08/06/2007	08/06/2012	Common Stock	6,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Tomshack James C/O PERRIGO COMPANY 515 EASTERN AVENUE ALLEGAN, MI 49010

Senior VP of CHC Sales

Signatures

James C. Tomshack 12/08/2008

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each seperate price within the range.

The price in column 4 is a weighted average. The prices actually received ranged from \$31.08 to \$31.24. For all transactions reported in (1) this Form 4 utilizing a weighted average price, the reporting person undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer, or a

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