WATSON DOUGLAS G

Form 4

November 23, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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stock

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Common

See Instruction

1. Name and AWATSON	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES INC				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	[OSUR	[OSUR]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (M:	(Month/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
220 EAST	11/20/2	11/20/2012							
(Street) 4.			4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
File			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)		
BETHLEHEM, PA 18015							_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative :	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies Ac	quired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if		on(A) or Di	•		Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code				Beneficially Owned	Form: Direct	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Following	(D) or Indirect (I)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	(======================================
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common stock	11/20/2012		M	20,000	A	\$ 6.955	118,281	D	
Common	11/20/2012		M	40 000	Δ	\$	158 281	D	

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Nonqualified stock option	\$ 6.955	11/20/2012		M	20,000	<u>(1)</u>	01/31/2013	Common stock	20,00
Nonqualified stock option	\$ 6.975	11/20/2012		M	40,000	(2)	03/03/2013	Common stock	40,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WATSON DOUGLAS G							
220 EAST FIRST STREET	X						
BETHLEHEM, PA 18015							

Signatures

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

11/23/2012

**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) Nonqualified stock options granted on January 31, 2003, vesting and exercisable monthly, over a one-year period. Options due to expire on January 31, 2013.
- (2) Nonqualified stock options granted on March 3, 2003, vesting and exercisable monthly, over a two-year period. Options due to expire on March 3, 2013.

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