

SANTILLI RONALD J
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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 *
 SANTILLI RONALD J

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O CUTERA, INC., 3240 BAYSHORE BLVD.
 (Street)

BRISBANE, CA 94005

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CUTERA INC [CUTR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/14/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Executive Vice President & CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	05/14/2010		A		22,000	A	\$ 0
					35,895 ⁽³⁾	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)

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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.24	05/14/2010		M	55,000	06/01/2011 ⁽¹⁾	05/14/2017	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.46	06/08/2007		D	22,000 ⁽²⁾	06/01/2008	06/08/2012	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.75	06/08/2006		D	35,000 ⁽²⁾	06/01/2007	06/08/2013	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SANTILLI RONALD J C/O CUTERA, INC. 3240 BAYSHORE BLVD. BRISBANE, CA 94005			Executive Vice President & CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Ronald J.
Santilli

05/18/2010

**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) Options vest according to the following schedule: 12/36 upon the date exercisable, and 1/36 per month thereafter.
- (2) These options were cancelled in connection with the option grants provided to the reporting person on May 14, 2010.
- (3) Includes 1,125 shares acquired under the Cutera stock purchase plan on May 3, 2010.

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