

LAWS STUART G  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
LAWS STUART G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

CARDINAL HEALTH, INC., 7000  
CARDINAL PLACE

(Street)

DUBLIN, OH 43017

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CARDINAL HEALTH INC [CAH]

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

08/15/2011

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)

SVP & Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 (A) or (D) Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Shares <sup>(1)</sup>    | 08/15/2011                           |  | A                              |   | 1,839 A \$ 0  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 08/15/2011                           |  | F <sup>(2)</sup>               |   | 327 D \$ 40.87 <sup>(3)</sup>   | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 08/16/2011                           |  | F <sup>(4)</sup>               |   | 269 D \$ 41.6 <sup>(3)</sup>  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 08/17/2011                           |  | S <sup>(5)</sup>               |   | 1,100 D \$ 41.73 <sup>(6)</sup>   | D  |                                   |

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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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy)       | \$ 41.6  | 08/15/2011                           |  | A                              | 8,243   | <u>(7)</u> 08/15/2021                                    | Common Shares   | 8,243                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                                |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other |
| LAWS STUART G<br>CARDINAL HEALTH, INC.<br>7000 CARDINAL PLACE<br>DUBLIN, OH 43017 |               |           | SVP & Chief Accounting Officer |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Stuart G. Laws 08/17/2011

\*\*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) Grant of restricted share units ("RSUs") that vest in three equal annual installments beginning on August 15, 2012.
- (2) Represents withholding of shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations of the reporting person in connection with the vesting of 1,021 restricted shares.

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- (3) Reflects closing price on prior business day.
- (4) Represents withholding of shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations of the reporting person in connection with the vesting of 841 RSUs.
- (5) The sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person on February 28, 2011.  
The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$41.45 to \$42.14, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Cardinal Health, Inc., any security holder of Cardinal Health, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in footnote (6) to this Form 4.
- (6) Stock option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on August 15, 2012.

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