INVACARE CORP

Form 5

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Form 4

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RICHEY JOSEPH B II		Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INVACARE CORP [IVC]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) ONE INVA	(First) (M	(Month/	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008			(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)		
ELYRIA,Â	OHÂ 44035						_X_ Form Filed b Form Filed b Person	by One Reporting y More than One		
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-Der	ivative Se	curitio	es Acqu	iired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially 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) (A) or Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	647,692	D	Â	
Class B Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	360,262	D	Â	
Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	9,234	I	By Invacare Retirement Savings Plan (1)	

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Class B Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	16,000	I	IRA
Common Shares	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	10,134	I	By Charitable Remainder Unitrust

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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)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(3)	(3)	Common Shares	194,700
Phantom Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(4)	(4)	Common Shares	349.16

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships	hips		
1 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
RICHEY JOSEPH B II ONE INVACARE WAY ELYRIA, OH 44035	ÂX	Â	Senior Vice President	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Joseph B. Richey II, by Kristofer K. Spreen his attorney-in-fact pursuant to Power of Attorney, dated August 24, 2004 on file with the Commission.

02/13/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- Owned by the Trustee for the Invacare Retirement Savings Plan. The information given is based on a Plan Statement of December 31, 2008, the most recent information reasonably available.
- (2) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 3, Form 4, or Form 5.
 - The reporting person holds previously reported options to buy 194,700 Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 1994 Performance Plan and the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, granted in reliance upon the
- (3) exemption provided by Rule 16b-3. All options were granted between March 1, 1999 and August 20, 2008, at exercise prices between \$18.6875 to \$44.30 per share, will expire between March 1, 2009 and August 20, 2018 and became or will become exercisable between March 31, 2000 and September 30, 2012.
- (4) Upon cessation of employment in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Invacare Corporation Deferred Compensation Plus Plan.
- Owned by Trustee for the Invacare Corporation Deferred Compensation Plus Plan. The information given is based on a Plan Statement of December 31, 2008, the most recent information reasonably available.

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