Shah Baiju R. Form 4 March 20, 2018

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(State)

Shah Baiju R. Issuer Symbol INVACARE CORP [IVC] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify ONE INVACARE WAY 03/16/2018 below)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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

(Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
 Applicable Line)
 X Form filed by One Reporting Person
 _ Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Person

ELYRIA, OH 44035

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Code V Amount (D) Price Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Shares 03/16/2018 A 03/16

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	umber Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) erivative ecurities ecquired A) or isposed ((D) nstr. 3,		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 1 2 ()
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	<u>(3)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Shares	4,496	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Shah Baiju R.							
ONE INVACARE WAY	X						
ELYRIA, OH 44035							

Signatures

/s/ Baiju R. Shah, by Kristofer K. Spreen, his attorney-in-fact pursuant to Power of Attorney, dated May 12, 2011, on file with the Commission

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8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)

**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).
- Restricted stock units granted pursuant to the Invacare Corporation 2013 Equity Compensation Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. These restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in full on May 15, 2019. The reporting person has elected to defer receipt of the common shares issuable upon vesting of these restricted stock units until the earlier of January 1, 2027 or his separation from the issuer, pursuant to the the 2012 Invacare Corporation Non-Employee Directors Deferred Compensation Plan.
 - Includes 12,860 previously reported restricted stock units issued pursuant to the Invacare Corporation 2013 Equity Compensation Plan. 4,254 of these restricted stock units vest in full on May 15, 2018 after a three-year "cliff" vesting period. 8,606 of these restricted stock
- (2) units vest in full on May 15, 2018; however, the reporting person has elected to defer receipt of the common shares issuable upon the vesting of these restricted stock units until the earlier of January 1, 2027 or his separation from the issuer, pursuant to the Invacare Corporation 2012 Non-Employee Directors Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (3) 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 4,496 Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, granted in reliance upon the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3. All options were granted on May 19, 2011, at an exercise price of \$33.36 per share, will expire on May 19, 2021, and became exercisable between March 31, 2012 and March 31, 2015.

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