LYDALL INC /DE/ Form 4 January 02, 2013

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 * **GURLEY WILLIAM D**

(First) (Middle) (Last)

C/O LYDALL, INC., ONE **COLONIAL ROAD**

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LYDALL INC /DE/ [LDL]

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Code V

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

12/31/2012

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(D) or

Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

D

Form: Direct Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

MANCHESTER, CT 06042

Common

Stock

(City) (State) (Zip)

12/31/2012

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of

14.34

(A)

or

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired 3. Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Amount (D)

1,256

(1)

Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Securities

Beneficially

39,777

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			Amou Under Secur	tle and unt of orlying rities : 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GURLEY WILLIAM D C/O LYDALL, INC. ONE COLONIAL ROAD MANCHESTER, CT 06042	X						

Signatures

Donna G. Tracy, Attorney-in-fact for William D.

Gurley

01/02/2013

**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).

Pursuant to a resolution passed by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, on June 30 and December 31 of each year non-employee Directors of the Issuer automatically receive a fully vested and unrestricted stock award consisting of that number of whole shares of common stock equal in value to \$18,000, based on the fair market value of the Issuer's common stock as of the close of business on each such date.

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