

SMITH CRAIG R
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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 *
SMITH CRAIG R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
OWENS & MINOR INC/VA/ [OMI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
9120 LOCKWOOD BLVD.

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/28/2008

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
President & CEO

MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23116

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	10/28/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	2,500 A	\$ 14.375	168,560	D
Common Stock	10/28/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	2,500 D	\$ 40	166,060	D
Common Stock	10/29/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	6,900 A	\$ 14.375	172,960	D
Common Stock	10/29/2008		S ⁽¹⁾	6,900 D	\$ 40	166,060	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)

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
Stock Option	\$ 14.375	10/28/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	2,500	02/01/2000 02/01/2009	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option	\$ 14.375	10/29/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	6,900	02/01/2000 02/01/2009	Common Stock	6,900

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMITH CRAIG R 9120 LOCKWOOD BLVD. MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23116			President & CEO	

Signatures

Craig R. Smith by Rosemarie W. France
POA 10/30/2008
**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) The exercise of stock options and sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person as filed on Current Report on Form 8-K dated May 22, 2008.

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