

IRIDEX CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Steckel Ronald

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1212 TERRA BELLA AVENUE  
(Street)

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
IRIDEX CORP [IRIX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/08/2016

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)  
VP, Operations

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

**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 or Price		
Common Stock	03/08/2016		M		6,250 A \$ 3.99	75,125	D
Common Stock	03/08/2016		S		6,250 D \$ 10.4481	68,875	D
Common Stock	03/08/2016		M		3,750 D \$ 3.856	72,625	D
Common Stock	03/08/2016		S		3,750 D \$ 10.4481	68,875	D
Common Stock	03/08/2016		S		2,000 D \$ 10.4625	66,875	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)			
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V	(A)	(D)			
Stock Option Right to Buy <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 3.99	03/08/2016		M	6,250	04/16/2013 <sup>(3)</sup>	04/16/2019	Common Stock	6,250	
Stock Option Right to Buy <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 3.856	03/08/2016		M	3,750	02/01/2013 <sup>(4)</sup>	01/01/2017	Common Stock	3,750	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Steckel Ronald 1212 TERRA BELLA AVENUE MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043			VP, Operations	

## Signatures

/s/ Susan Bruce, Attorney-in-Fact for Ronald Steckel	03/09/2016
<u>        </u> **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).

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The sales price reported in Column 4 of Table 1 represents the weighted average sale price of the shares sold, ranging from \$10.44 to \$10.49 per share. Upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

- (2) This option was granted pursuant to IRIDEX Corporation's 2008 Equity Incentive Plan and is exempt to Rule 16b-3.
- (3) The shares shall vest as follows: 12/48ths of the shares shall vest 12 months after the Vesting Commencement Date and 1/48th of the shares shall vest each month thereafter.
- (4) The shares are subject to vesting according to the following schedule: 1/48th of the total number of shares vest each month.

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