

Harding David  
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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 \*  
Harding David

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
HOLOGIC INC [HOLX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
35 CROSBY DRIVE  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
09/06/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP, International

BEDFORD, MA 01730

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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		
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	09/06/2012		S		17,200	D	
					\$ 20.19 <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock	09/06/2012		M		40,564	A	
					\$ 18.32		
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	09/06/2012		S		40,564	D	
					\$ 20.15 <sup>(2)</sup>		
Common Stock	09/06/2012		M		5,456	A	
					\$ 18.32		
	09/06/2012		S		5,456	D	
					\$ 57,169		



## Explanation of Responses:

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(1) The transaction reported herein reflects an aggregate of sales at prices ranging from \$20.16 to \$20.195, inclusive. The Reporting Person further undertakes to provide upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full disclosure with respect to the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(2) The transaction reported herein reflects an aggregate of sales at prices ranging from \$20.15 to \$20.175, inclusive. The Reporting Person further undertakes to provide upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full disclosure with respect to the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(3) The transaction reported herein reflects an aggregate of sales at prices ranging from \$20.16 to \$20.17, inclusive. The Reporting Person further undertakes to provide upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full disclosure with respect to the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(4) This non-qualified stock option was originally issued pursuant to Cytyc Corporation's 2004 Omnibus Stock Plan on January 23, 2007 and became fully exercisable on October 22, 2007 in connection with the merger.

(5) Due to the acceleration of stock options in connection with the merger of Cytyc Corporation on October 22, 2007, any unvested Incentive Stock Options exceeding the guidelines set forth under Section 422(d) of the Internal Revenue Code shall be treated as Non-qualified Stock Options.

(6) This incentive stock option was originally issued pursuant to Cytyc Corporation's 2004 Omnibus Stock Plan on January 23, 2007 and became fully exercisable on October 22, 2007 in connection with the merger.

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