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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MACOMBER SCOTT T Issuer Symbol NOVAMED INC [NOVA] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 980 NORTH MICHIGAN 12/20/2009 below) **AVENUE. SUITE 1620** Executive Vice President/CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting CHICAGO, IL 60611 Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common D \$ 12/20/2009 F 154 83,364 (7) D (8) Stock 4.07

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securitie 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.7					<u>(1)</u>	10/24/2011	Common Stock	250,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.78					<u>(2)</u>	04/02/2012	Common Stock	90,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.27					(3)	03/21/2013	Common Stock	45,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.45					<u>(4)</u>	03/16/2014	Common Stock	55,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.96					<u>(5)</u>	06/16/2015	Common Stock	65,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.87					<u>(6)</u>	06/20/2016	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.35					<u>(9)</u>	02/21/2017	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.75					(10)	02/18/2019	Common Stock	72,727

8. Pri Deriv Secur

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MACOMBER SCOTT T 980 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 1620 CHICAGO, IL 60611

Executive Vice President/CFO

Signatures

/s/ Scott T.

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Subject to certain restrictions, 31,250 of these options vested 4/24/02 with the remainder vesting 5,208 per month starting on 5/24/02.
- (2) Subject to certain restrictions, 11,250 of these options vested 10/1/02 with the remainder vesting 1,875 per month starting on 11/1/02.
- (3) Subject to certain restrictions, 5,650 of these options vested 9/20/03 with the remainder vesting 937 per month starting on 10/20/03.
- (4) Subject to certain restrictions, 6,875 of these options vested 9/16/04 with the remainder vesting 1,145 per month starting on 10/16/04.
- (5) Subject to certain restrictions, 8,125 of these options vested on 12/17/05, with the remainder vesting 1,354 per month starting on 1/17/06.
- (6) Subject to certain restrictions, 3,125 of these options vested on 12/20/06 with the remainder vesting approximately 521 per month starting on 1/20/07.
- (7) Includes 33,192 restricted shares of common stock.
- (8) Represents the disposition of shares to the Issuer to fund the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligations relating to the vesting on 12/20/09 of 521 shares of a restricted stock award as permitted pursuant to the terms of the award.
- (9) Subject to certain restrictions, 3,125 of these option vested on 8/21/07 with the remainder vesting approximately 521 per month starting 9/21/07.
- (10) Subject to certain restrictions, 9,090 of these options vested on 8/18/09 with the remainder vesting approximately 1,515 per month starting on 9/18/09.

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