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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 \*  
 Nardoci Jeffrey C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 SOLTA MEDICAL INC [SLTM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O SOLTA MEDICAL, 25881 INDUSTRIAL BLVD.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/08/2013

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

Vice President of Marketing

(Street)  
 HAYWARD, CA 94545

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price                             |
| Common Stock                    | 02/08/2013                           |  | M                              |   | 26,800  | A  | 171,006                           |
| Common Stock                    | 02/08/2013                           |  | F <sup>(2)</sup>               |   | 10,946  | D  | \$ 2.56                           |
| Common Stock                    | 02/08/2013                           |  | F <sup>(3)</sup>               |   | 8,776   | D  | \$ 2.56                           |
| Common Stock                    | 02/09/2013                           |  | M                              |   | 22,958  | A  | 174,302                           |
| Common Stock                    | 02/09/2013                           |  | F <sup>(2)</sup>               |   | 8,421   | D  | \$ 2.56                           |

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Common Stock      02/10/2013      F<sup>(3)</sup>      6,285      D      \$ 2.56      159,596      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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Performance Restricted Stock Units         | (1)  | 02/08/2013                           |  | M                              | 26,800  | (1) 02/08/2022   | Common Stock  | 26,800                     |
| Performance Restricted Stock Units         | (1)  | 02/09/2013                           |  | M                              | 22,958  | (1) 02/09/2021   | Common Stock  | 22,958                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                             |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                     | Other |
| Nardoci Jeffrey C<br>C/O SOLTA MEDICAL<br>25881 INDUSTRIAL BLVD.<br>HAYWARD, CA 94545 |               |           | Vice President of Marketing |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey C. Nardoci      02/12/2013

\*\*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).

(1) Each performance right represented a contingent right to receive a share of issuer common stock based on the issuer's stock price performance.

(2) All of the shares reported as disposed of in this Form 4 were relinquished by the Reporting Person and cancelled by the Issuer in exchange for the Issuer's agreement to pay federal and state tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person resulting from the vesting of Performance RSU's. The Reporting Person did not sell or otherwise dispose of any of the shares reported on this Form 4 for any reason other than to cover required taxes.

(3) All of the shares reported as disposed of in this Form 4 were relinquished by the Reporting Person and cancelled by the Issuer in exchange for the Issuer's agreement to pay federal and state tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person resulting from the vesting of RSU's. The Reporting Person did not sell or otherwise dispose of any of the shares reported on this Form 4 for any reason other than to cover required taxes.

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