

Wyskiel Christina W  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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|---|--|---|---|--|---|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *<br>Wyskiel Christina W<br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><br>C/O MAVERICK CAPITAL,<br>LTD., 300 CRESCENT<br>COURT, 18TH FLOOR<br>(Street)<br><br>DALLAS, TX 72501<br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>12/29/2008 | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEMS INC [NO TICKER] | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br><br>(Check all applicable)<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br>(give title below)    (specify below) | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:<br>Direct (D) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|---|---|--|--|---|--|
|   | Date Exercisable      Expiration Date                       | Title      Amount or Number of   |  |   |  |

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|               |              |            |                 | Shares |         | or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) |   |
|---------------|--------------|------------|-----------------|--------|---------|----------------------------------|---|
| Stock Options | 11/13/2007   | 11/12/2017 | Common<br>Stock | 23,319 | \$ 7.36 | D <u>(1)</u>                     | ^ |
| Stock Options | 10/09/2007   | 10/08/2017 | Common<br>Stock | 6,681  | \$ 5.11 | D <u>(1)</u>                     | ^ |
| Stock Options | ^ <u>(2)</u> | 08/14/2011 | Common<br>Stock | 60,000 | \$ 5.71 | D <u>(1)</u>                     | ^ |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Wyskiel Christina W<br>C/O MAVERICK CAPITAL, LTD.<br>300 CRESCENT COURT, 18TH FLOOR<br>DALLAS, TX 75201 | ^ X           | ^         | ^       | ^     |

## Signatures

Christina  
Wyskiel

12/29/2008

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) These Stock Options are held for the benefit of Maverick Fund USA, Ltd., Maverick Fund II, Ltd., and Maverick Fund, L.D.C. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the options except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.

(2) These Stock Options are exercisable in three equal annual installments. The first installment became exercisable on August 15, 2007, the second installment became exercisable on August 15, 2008 and the final installment becomes exercisable on August 15, 2009.

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