FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Michels Douglas A</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES INC [ OSUR ]										k all applica	Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ble) 10% Owner			
(Last) 220 EAST	(First ST	,	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transact 02/01/2013					ction (Month/Day/Year)					X Officer (give title bell bell bell President & CEO				pecify
(Street) BETHLEF			8015		4. If Amendment, Date of Original F					iginal Filed (Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group F Line)  X Form filed by One F Form filed by More Person					
(City)	(Sta		Zip) D <b>le I - Nor</b>	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curities	Acc	uired.	Dis	posed of	f. or Ben	eficia	ally	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tran		2. Trans	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  2. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transa Code (	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr.		ties Acquired (A) or I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pric	ce Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a		n(s)		(	(Instr. 4)		
Common stock			02/0	1/2013				<b>F</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		12,795	2,795 D		.045	553,848		D			
Common stock			02/0	1/2013				A <sup>(2)</sup>		62,456	6 A		(2)	616,304		D			
Common stock			02/0	01/2013				G <sup>(3)</sup>	V	3,970	D		(3)		612,334		D		
Common stock			02/0	01/2013				G <sup>(4)</sup> V		3,970 І		1	(4)		608,364		D		
Common stock 0			02/0	01/2013			G <sup>(4)</sup>	V	3,970	A		(4)	9,370		I <sup>(5)</sup>		By son.		
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Nonqualified stock option	\$7.045	02/01/2013		A <sup>(6)</sup>			181,883		(6)		02/01/2023	Common stock	181,	883	(6)	181,8	83	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Withholding of shares to pay the tax liability associated with vesting of restricted shares.
- 2. Grant of restricted shares under the OraSure Technologies, Inc. Stock Award Plan, with one-third of the grant vesting on February 1, 2014, February 1, 2015, and February 1, 2016. Vesting shall cease upon voluntary termination of employment.
- $4.\ Gift\ to\ son\ who\ shares\ reporting\ person's\ household.$
- 5. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by his son, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of section 16 or any other purpose.
- 6. Grant of nonqualified stock options, vesting and exercisable over a four year period, with one-fourth of the options vesting on the first anniversary date of the grant and the remainder vesting ratably on a monthly basis, over the remaining 36 months. Vesting shall cease upon voluntary termination of employment.

## Remarks:

Mark L. Kuna, As Attorney-In-Fact for Douglas A. Michels, (Power of Attorney previously

02/04/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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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