

OBRIEN JAMES T

Form 4

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FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
OBRIEN JAMES T

(Last) (First) (Middle)

DERMA SCIENCES, INC., 214
CARNEGIE CENTER, SUITE 300

(Street)

PRINCETON, NJ 08540

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
DERMA SCIENCES, INC. [DSCI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/16/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

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

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Person

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	04/16/2012		M		10,000	A \$ 4.08	32,700 ⁽¹⁾ D
common stock	04/16/2012		F		4,658 ⁽²⁾	D \$ 8.76	28,042 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
stock option (right to buy)	\$ 4.08	04/16/2012		M	10,000	05/12/2002 ⁽³⁾ 05/12/2012	common stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
OBRIEN JAMES T DERMA SCIENCES, INC. 214 CARNEGIE CENTER, SUITE 300 PRINCETON, NJ 08540	X

Signatures

/s/ James T.
O'Brien
04/18/2012
Date

**Signature of
Reporting Person

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) Reflects 1-for-8 reverse stock split of common stock effective February 1, 2010.
- (2) Shares delivered in connection with the cashless exercise of 10,000 options, previously granted pursuant to the issuer's stock option plan, at an exercise price of \$4.08, as reported herein.
- (3) The options, granted pursuant to the issuer's stock option plan, vested as to 25% on May 12, 2002, the date of the execution of the stock option agreement reflecting the grant, and vested as to an additional 25% on May 12 of 2003, 2004 and 2005.
- (4) The options were originally granted in consideration of the reporting person's services to the issuer and without payment of cash consideration, pursuant to the issuer's stock option plan.

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