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### FORM 4

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#### 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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(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 Needham Jeffrey Issuer Symbol PERRIGO CO [PRGO] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O PERRIGO COMPANY, 515 08/23/2012 below) **EASTERN AVENUE** Sr. VP Commercial Business Dev (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 ALLEGAN, MI 49010 Person (City) (State) (Zip)

| (City)     | (State) (Z          | Table              | I - Non-De | erivative Securities Ac | quired, Disposed ( | of, or Beneficial | ly Owned     |
|------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed         | 3.         | 4. Securities           | 5. Amount of       | 6. Ownership      | 7. Nature of |
| Security   | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transactio | onAcquired (A) or       | Securities         | Form: Direct      | Indirect     |
| (Instr. 3) |                     | any                | Code       | Disposed of (D)         | Beneficially       | (D) or            | Beneficial   |
|            |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)     | Owned              | Indirect (I)      | Ownership    |
|            |                     |                    |            |                         | Following          | (Instr. 4)        | (Instr. 4)   |
|            |                     |                    |            | (A)                     | Reported           |                   |              |
|            |                     |                    |            | (A)                     | Transaction(s)     |                   |              |
|            |                     |                    | Code V     | or<br>Amount (D) Price  | (Instr. 3 and 4)   |                   |              |
| C          |                     |                    | Code v     | Amount (D) Trice        |                    |                   |              |
| Common     |                     |                    |            |                         | 1,793              | D                 |              |
| Stock      |                     |                    |            |                         | 1,770              | _                 |              |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(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) |  |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>Right to<br>Buy      | \$ 108.62   | 08/23/2012                              |   | A                                      | 1,962   | 08/23/2013   | 08/23/2022         | Common<br>Stock   | 1,962                                  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>Right to<br>Buy      | \$ 108.62   | 08/23/2012                              |   | A                                      | 1,962   | 08/23/2014   | 08/23/2022         | Common<br>Stock   | 1,962                                  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>Right to<br>Buy      | \$ 108.62   | 08/23/2012                              |   | A                                      | 1,962   | 08/23/2015   | 08/23/2022         | Common<br>Stock   | 1,962                                  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | (1)   | 08/23/2012                              |   | A(2)                                   | 967   | 08/23/2015   | 08/23/2015         | Common<br>Stock   | 967                                    |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Needham Jeffrey C/O PERRIGO COMPANY 515 EASTERN AVENUE ALLEGAN, MI 49010

Sr. VP Commercial Business Dev

## **Signatures**

Jeffrey R. 08/24/2012 Needham

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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### **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 Restricted Stock Unit represents at contingent right to receive one share of Perrigo Company common stock.
- (2) Restricted stock awarded Mr. Needham in his capacity as Executive Vice President and General Manager Consumer Healthcare, pursuant to the 2008 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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