WATSON DOUGLAS G

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

			Symbol ORAS	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES INC [OSUR]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 220 EAST FIRST STREET			(Month/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2010			X Director Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify	
				. If Amendment, Date Original iled(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
	(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
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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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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amou Under Securi (Instr.	rlying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WATSON DOUGLAS G 220 EAST FIRST STREET BETHLEHEM, PA 18015	X						

Signatures

Mark L. Kuna, As Attorney-In-Fact for Douglas G. Watson, (Power of Attorney previously filed)

01/26/2010

**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) Grant of restricted shares under the OraSure Technologies, Inc. 2000 Stock Award Plan, cliff vesting on January 25, 2011. Vesting shall cease immediately if the named individual voluntarily ceases to serve as a member of the Board of Directors.

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