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>LEVERNIER MICHAEL J</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CUTERA INC [ CUTR ]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CUTERA, INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/20/2004						below)			,	pecify		
3240 BAYSHORE BOULEVARD  (Street)  BRISBANE CA 94005  (City) (State) (Zip)				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date				Transactio ite onth/Day/Y	Execution Date,		Code (Inst	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Code (Instr. 5)			5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	6. Owne Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	Direct Ir ndirect B r. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				Code V Amount (A) or Pric		Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)		(Instr. 4)							
	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	ise (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ve es d ed nstr.	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly O Fi D oi (I)	0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$13.3	07/20/2004		A		10,000		06/01/2005 <sup>(1)</sup>	07/20/2014	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	10,000		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

 $1. \ Options \ vest \ according \ to \ the \ following \ schedule: \ 1/4 \ upon \ the \ date \ exercisable, \ and \ 1/48 \ per \ month \ thereafter.$ 

/s/ Michael J. Levernier 08/05/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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