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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

NEELS GUIDO J

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

10/18/2006

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LEMAITRE VASCULAR INC [LMAT]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O LEMAITRE VASCULAR, (Check all applicable) INC., 63 SECOND AVENUE

> _X_ Director Officer

10% Owner Other (give title below) (specify below)

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

X Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

BURLINGTON, MAÂ 01803

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities

Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership

Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative (Instr. 5)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Date Exercisable Expiration

Date

Title

Amount or Number of Shares

Security: Derivative Security Direct (D) or Indirect

(I)

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(Instr. 5)

Stock Option (Right to Buy) 04/27/2006 $\frac{(1)}{(1)}$ 04/27/2013 Common Stock 20,000 \$12.37 D \hat{A}

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NEELS GUIDO J

C/O LEMAITRE VASCULAR, INC.

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63 SECOND AVENUE BURLINGTON, MAÂ 01803

Signatures

/s/ Aaron M. Grossman Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- This option is exercisable and vests over a three year period at a rate of 33 1/3% after one year of service from the date listed on the table, and the balance vesting in equal annual installments over the remaining 2 years.

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Remarks:

Exhibit Index

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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