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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> HAYS RUSSELL D			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEMAITRE VASCULAR INC [LMAT]					
(Last) (Fi	rst) (Mi	ddle)			. Relationship of Reporting erson(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
C/O LEMAITRE VASCULAR, INC., 63 SECOND AVENUE				(Check all applicable)			r nou(nonurbuy, rou)		
(Street) BURLINGTON, MA 01803				X_Director10% Owner OfficerOther (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		
(City) (Sta	ate) (Z	ip)	Table I - N	on-Derivati	ive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owner (Instr.	•		
Reminder: Report on owned directly or ind		e for each	h class of securities benefici	ally SI	EC 1473 (7-02))			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect	
Security	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial	
(Instr. 4)	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership	
	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title Amount of Number of Shares	Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	(Instr. 5)	

						(Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	01/01/2008(1)	01/01/2013	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 6.2	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HAYS RUSSELL D C/O LEMAITRE VASCULAR, INC. 63 SECOND AVENUE BURLINGTON, MA 01803	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures						
Christopher H. 01/10/2008						

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) This option is exercisable and vests over a three-year period at a rate of 33.3% after one year of service from the date listed on the table, with the balance vesting in equal annual installments over the remaining two years.

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