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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Farrington Thomas

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O PERRIGO COMPANY, 515  
 EASTERN AVENUE  
 (Street)

ALLEGAN, MI 49010

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 PERRIGO CO [PRGO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/19/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Senior VP and CIO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/19/2010                           |  | A <sup>(1)</sup>               | 5,105   | A \$ 0  | 5,105  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 08/19/2010                           |  | F                              | 1,573   | D \$ 58.82  | 3,532  | D                                 |

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)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option Right to Buy         | \$ 58.82   | 08/19/2010                           |  | A                              | 931   | 08/19/2011 08/19/2020                                    | Common Stock  | 931                        |
| Employee Stock Option Right to Buy         | \$ 58.82   | 08/19/2010                           |  | A                              | 931   | 08/19/2012 08/19/2020                                    | Common Stock  | 931                        |
| Employee Stock Option Right to Buy         | \$ 58.82   | 08/19/2010                           |  | A                              | 931   | 08/19/2013 08/19/2020                                    | Common Stock  | 931                        |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (2)  | 08/19/2010                           |  | A <sup>(3)</sup>               | 1,071   | 08/19/2013 08/19/2013                                    | Common Stock  | 1,071                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                   |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |
| Farrington Thomas<br>C/O PERRIGO COMPANY<br>515 EASTERN AVENUE<br>ALLEGAN, MI 49010 |               |           | Senior VP and CIO |       |

## Signatures

Thomas  
Farrington

08/23/2010

Date

Signature of  
Reporting Person

## 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) Vesting of performance-based restricted stock units granted on August 30, 2007.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Perrigo Company common stock.
- (3) Restricted Stock Units awarded Mr. Farrington in his capacity as Sr. VP and Chief Information Officer, pursuant to the 2008 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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