

TANDEM DIABETES CARE INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BLICKENSTAFF KIM D**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**TANDEM DIABETES CARE INC [TNDM]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**C/O TANDEM DIABETES CARE, INC., 11045 ROSELLE STREET**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/16/2016**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**PRESIDENT & CEO**

**SAN DIEGO, CA 92121**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 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)  | Code  | V  | Amount                            | (D) | Price |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities | 8. |
|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---|--|----|
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| Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code<br>(Instr. 8) | Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and<br>5) | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) |                     |                    |                 |                                  |
|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|--------------------|---|------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
|                         |   |                         | Code               | V   | (A)              | (D)              | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(1) | \$ 6.95   | 02/16/2016              | A                  |   | 236,850          |                  | (2)                 | (3)                | Common<br>Stock | 236,850                          |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| BLICKENSTAFF KIM D<br>C/O TANDEM DIABETES CARE, INC.,<br>11045 ROSELLE STREET<br>SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 | X             |           | PRESIDENT & CEO |       |

## Signatures

/s/ David B. Berger, Attorney-in-Fact for Kim D.  
Blickenstaff

02/17/2016

\*\*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) Granted pursuant to the Tandem Diabetes Care, Inc. 2013 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) All shares subject to the option will vest as to 25% on 2/16/2017 and the remainder in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter.
- (3) The expiration date for these options is 10 years from the date of grant.

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