FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Richardson Peter C</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MANNKIND CORP [MNKD]								eck all applic Directo	tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director Officer (give title			ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 28903 NORTH AVENUE PAINE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2005								below)	(give title Other (s below) hief Scientific Officer		респу		
(Street) VALENO	VALENCIA CA 91355						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							e) X Form fi Form fi					
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Common Stock 10/31/						/2005			A		40,000	00 ⁽¹⁾ A S		1 40	40,000		D		
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					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.63	10/31/2005			A		50,000		10/31/2006	₅ (2)	10/31/2015	Common Stock	50,000	\$10.63	50,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Acquired pursuant to a Restricted Stock Unit Award: 33% vest on 10/31/06; additional 33% vest on 10/31/07; and balance vest on 10/31/09. The shares shall fully vest on October 31, 2009.
- $2.\ 4-year\ vesting\ schedule\ with\ 1/4\ vesting:\ 10/31/06;\ 10/31/07;\ 10/31/08;\ being\ fully\ vested\ 10/31/09.$

Remarks:

/s/ Peter C. Richardson

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

11/04/2005

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

- * 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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