FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Thomson David</u>							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MANNKIND CORP [MNKD]								cable) or		Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 28903 NORTH AVENUE PAINE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2011								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) VP & General Counsel				
(Street) VALENCIA CA 91355						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicabilities) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person											son	
(City)	(S1		(Zip)		<u> </u>						•		<u>.</u>		•			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D					saction	ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			5. Amou Securiti Benefic	int of es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) c (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)		(
ComCommon Stock, \$.01 Par Value 08/15.							/2011				963	D	\$2.7	9 43	,214	D		
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 08/18						/2011			A ⁽²⁾		16,500) A	\$0.0	0 59	,714	D		
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 08/19						/2011					1,101	D	\$2.4	58,613		D		
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 08/19/2						/2011			F ⁽¹⁾		1,193	D	\$2.4	57,420		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		9	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$2.41	08/18/2011		A ⁽³⁾			71,600		08/18/20	12 (08/18/2021	Stock Options	71,600	\$2.41	71,600) D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares withheld to satisfy the tax liability incident to the vesting of previously reported restricted stock units.
- 2. Acquired pursuant to a Restricted Stock Unit Award: 25% vest on each year anniversary of the vesting determination date and 25% each anniversary thereafter; shares shall fully vest on the fourth year anniversary of the vesting determination date.
- 3. 25% vesting on the anniversary of the vesting determination date and 1/48th per month thereafter; being fully vested on the fourth anniversary of the vesting determination date.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ David Thomson</u> <u>08/19/2011</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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