FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  MANNKIND CORP [ MNKD ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>Thomson David</u>														Director		10% Owner			
	3. 1	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)								X Officer below)	(give title Other (spelow)		specify						
(Last) (First) (Middle)							11/16/2005								VP & General Counsel				
28903 NORTH AVENUE PAINE																			
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)												6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(Street) VALENO	CIA C	A	91355										- 1	X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											Perso	1				
		Tal	ole I - Nor	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quired, I	Disp	osed o	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (II	Transaction Code (Instr. 5		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price		ted action(s) 3 and 4)				
Common Stock 11/16/					6/200	2005		A		2,287(	1) A	\$0.0	3,962			D			
			Table II -											Owned					
				(e.g., <sub> </sub>	puts,	call	s, warr	ants	, option	s, c	onvertik	ole secu	irities)						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution E if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Instr.		ı of		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securitie		ties ig e Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$11	11/16/2005			A		14,635		11/16/2006	(2) 1	1/16/2015	Common Stock	14,635	\$11	14,63	5	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Acquired pursuant to a Restricted Stock Unit Award, 25% vests on each of the respective dates: 11/16/06, 11/16/07, 11/16/08 and 11/16/09. The shares being fully vested on November 16, 2009.
- $2.\ 25\%\ vesting\ on\ 11/16/06;\ 1/48th\ vesting\ every\ 16th\ of\ the\ month\ thereafter,\ being\ fully\ vested\ 11/16/09.$

## Remarks:

/s/ David Thomson \*\* Signature of Reporting Person 11/18/2005

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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