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>Thomson David</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MANNKIND CORP [MNKD]								eck all applic Directo	10% Own		ner		
(Last) 28903 N	`	irst) ENUE PAINE	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/19/2009							7	below)	Officer (give title below) VP & General		Other (specify below) Counsel		
(Street) VALENC	CIA CA 91355 (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tal	ole I - No	n-Der	ivativ	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Ber	neficiall	y Owned					
Da			Date	n/Day/Year) i		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			Beneficia Owned F	s ally following	Form (D) or	orm: Direct)) or Indirect) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)		"	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 08/3				08/1	9/2009	/2009			A		12,000(1	1) A	\$0.00	128	128,376		D		
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 08/2			08/2	0/2009	2009		S		7,180 ⁽²⁾	D	\$7.410	7 121	121,196		D				
			Table II -								osed of, convertib			Owned					
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. Transactio Code (Insti 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab	ole	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$7.48	08/19/2009			A		43,000		08/19/2010	0 ⁽³⁾	08/19/2019	Common Stock	43,000	\$7.48	43,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 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.
- 2. Transaction occurred pursuant to a 10B5-1 Plan entered into as part of a divorce settlement.
- 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>08/21/2009</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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