

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>Castagna Michael</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>1 CASPER STREET</u> (Street) <u>DANBURY CT 06810</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MANNKIND CORP [MNKD]</u> 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>07/15/2026</u> 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) ☒ Director 10% Owner ☒ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Executive Officer</u> 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) ☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	07/15/2026		M ⁽¹⁾		350,260	A	\$0	2,796,979 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	07/15/2026		F ⁽³⁾		192,819	D	\$4.09	2,604,160	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	07/15/2026		F ⁽³⁾		47,481	D	\$4.09	2,556,679	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	07/15/2026		F ⁽³⁾		63,996	D	\$4.09	2,492,683	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	07/15/2026		F ⁽³⁾		58,904	D	\$4.09	2,433,779	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Performance Restricted Stock Unit	(4)	07/15/2026		M ⁽¹⁾			350,260	(1)	(1)	Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value	350,260	\$0	0 ⁽¹⁾	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. A previously reported restricted stock unit award granted on May 25, 2023 vested on July 15, 2026 upon the achievement of performance objectives established by MannKind's compensation committee at the time of the approval of the award. Specifically, (i) the closing price of MannKind's common stock on June 30, 2026 was not less than the closing price on May 25, 2023 and (ii) MannKind's total shareholder return (TSR) over the period from May 23, 2023 to June 30, 2026 was at the 41.5th percentile of the TSR of the Russell 3000 Pharmaceutical & Biotechnology Index over the same period. As a result, the performance objective was achieved at 83% of target, resulting in a total share delivery of 350,260 shares. The acquisition of 422,000 shares pursuant to the restricted stock award was reported in Table II of the Form 4 filed by the Reporting Person on May 26, 2023. The remaining 71,740 shares were forfeited in accordance with the performance vesting criteria.
2. Includes 4,409 shares acquired under the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 30, 2026.
3. Payment of exercise price or tax liability by delivering or withholding securities incident to the receipt, exercise or vesting of a security issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3 incident to the vesting of previously reported restricted stock units.
4. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of MNKD common stock.

/s/ Michael Castagna

07/17/2026

** 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).

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