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]									ck all appl Direct	or 10% O		wner	
(Last) 28903 N	,	rst) ((Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/19/2010									er (give title v) Chief Scientific O		Other (s below) Officer	specity
(Street) VALENC			91355 (Zip)		- 4. II	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Inc Line)					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date					ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)				ies For ially (D) Following (I) (n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
									Code	v	Amount	nt (A) or (D)		rice	Transac	eported ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 08/19/				9/2010	2010		F ⁽¹⁾		1,091 D) {	\$5.97	111,254			D			
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value 08/19/				9/2010	2010		A ⁽²⁾		13,400 A		A \$	\$0.00	124	124,654		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. Deemo Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		S (I	. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	oer					
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$5.93	08/19/2010			A ⁽³⁾		65,000		08/19/20	11	08/19/2020	Stock Option	65,0	00	\$5.93	65,000		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/ Peter Richardson</u>

08/23/2010

** 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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