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*  GARCIA PETER S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOTIME INC [ BTX ]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Own					
(Last) 1301 HA	•	irst) Y PARKWAY	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2013								X	below)	give title nief Fina	Other (spe below) ncial Officer		pecify		
(Street) ALAME (City)		itate)	94502 (Zip)	Doriv											Line)	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. Date				actio				3. Tran	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)  Amount (A) or (D)			5. Amour Securities Beneficia Owned For Reported Transacti	s For (D) (I) (I) (I) (I) (I) (I) (I) (I) (I) (I		: Direct I Indirect E str. 4)	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)		
Common Shares, no par value										+		(D)			7,000 <sup>(1)</sup>			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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Co	ansa ode (I	ction Instr.	Derivative E		Expiration	6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			of Securit Underlyin Derivative	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported	re es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Co	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ıble		oiration e	Title	Amo or Num of Sh			Transact (Instr. 4)	ion(s)			
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$4.22	02/20/2013			J		100,000		(2)		02/1	19/2020	Common Shares	100	,000	\$0.00	100,0	00	D		
Option to Purchase Common	\$4.17								(3)		10/0	02/2018	Common Shares	200	,000		200,0	00	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Does not include shares that may be acquired upon the exercise of certain stock options.
- $2.\,1/48 th\ of\ the\ number\ of\ options\ will\ vest\ and\ become\ exercisable\ at\ the\ end\ of\ each\ full\ month\ of\ employment\ after\ January\ 1,\ 2013.$
- $3.\ 1/48 th\ of\ the\ number\ of\ options\ will\ vest\ at\ the\ end\ of\ each\ full\ month\ of\ employment\ after\ October\ 3,\ 2011.$

## Remarks:

/s/ Peter S. Garcia

02/22/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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