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	STATEMEN	GOF CHANGES IN BENE	ICIAL OWNERSHIP								
Act of	1934, Section	to Section 16(a) of n 17(a) of the Publi ion 30(f)of the Inve	c Utility Holding Co	mpany Act							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 6. Relationship of Reporting Pe BioTime, Inc. (BTX) to Issuer (Check all applic							
Waitz (Last)	Harold (First)	D. (Middle)	3. IRS or Social Number of Rep Person (Volun	orting Mc	atement forX onth/Year 12/00 Vice	_ Officer(give title below) President of R	10% Owner Other specify below) egulatory Affairs				
935 Pardee S (Street)	treet		5. If Amendment, Date of Origi (Month/Year		(Cl _X_Fo	neck Applicable rm filed by One	Reporting Person				
Berkeley (City)	CA (State)	94710 (Zip)				rm filed by Mor eporting Person					
Table 1 1. Title of (Instr.	Security 2	Date Co	ans- 4. Securi tion or Dis	eneficially Owned ties Acquired(A) posed of (D) 3, 4 and 5)		5. Owner- ship Form: Direct 5 (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
		(Month/ Day/ Year)	Amount	(A)or	Fiscal Year Inst. 3 and 4)	Ìndirect (I)	Troty ()				
Common Share no par value	s,		Amount	(D) Price	424,166*	(Instr. 4) D	Instr. 4)				
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). (Over) SEC 2270(7-97)											
FORM 5 (cont	inued)										
		ecurities Acquired, I Ls, warrants, option									
	Derivative Sec r. 3)	curity 2. Conver- sion or Exercise Price of Deri- vative Security	action a Date C	ction ati ode qui nstr.8) pos	wher of Deriv- Live Securities Ac- red (A) or Dis- sed of (D) str. 3, 4 and 5)		d				
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7. Title	and Amount	8.	Price	9.	Number	10.Owner-	11.	Nature
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					of Year	(I)		
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Explanation of Responses:

*Includes 2,100 shares beneficially owned by Dr. Waitz's minor children.

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Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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/s/Harold D. Waitz

**Signature of Reporting Person

January 9, 2001 Date