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*  Peabody Robert							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOTIME INC [ BTX ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director  10% Owner  Office (Spire title)  Other (one title)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1301 HARBOR BAY PARKWAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2013									X	X Officer (give title Other (sp below)  Senior VP and COO						
(Street) ALAMEDA CA 94502 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
		Та	ble I - Non	-Deriv	ativ	re Se	curities	s Ac	quired	Dis	posed o	of, or Be	nefi	cially	Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D							2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	3. 4. Transaction D Code (Instr. 5)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	s Ily	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a				Instr. 4)		
Common Shares, no par value															5,40	00(1)		D			
			Table II - I									, or Ben ble sec			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/Yea	Co	ansac ode (li		Derivative E		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		9	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Co	ode	v	(A)	Date Expiration Date Titl	Title	Amo or Num of Si			Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)								
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$4.22	02/20/2013			J		100,000		(2)		02/19/2020	Common Shares	100	,000	\$0.00	100,00	00	D			
Option to Purchase Common	\$0.5								(3)		10/09/2014	Common Shares	500	,000		500,00	00	D			

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Does not include shares that may be acquired upon the exercise of certain stock options.
- 2. 1/48th of the number of options will vest and become exercisable at the end of each full month of employment after January 1, 2013.
- $3.\,\,1/60 th\ of\ the\ number\ of\ options\ became\ exercisable\ at\ the\ end\ of\ each\ full\ month\ of\ employment\ after\ October\ 10,\ 2007.$

## Remarks:

/s/ Robert W. Peabody

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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