FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF	CHANGES	IN RE	NEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* LOWREY ROBERT S					<u>B</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS INC [5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)			CRX								X	04:	(give title		Other (s below)	·
4505 EMPEROR BLVD. SUITE 200					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2012										Contro	ller, F	PAO		
(Street) DURHAM NC 27703			_ 4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting							
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												Persor	l			
		Tab	le I - Nor	ı-Deri	vativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired,	Dis	osed o	f, or Be	enefic	ially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month)				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (I	ransaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, ode (Instr. 5)				4 and Securitie Benefici Owned F		es Fo ally (D) Following (I)		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
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Common	mmon Stock ⁽¹⁾ 03/01/2012 A 5,125 A \$0 5,125						125		D										
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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	Date,	Code (Instr		n of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			3. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s lly	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber					
Emp. Stock Option (Right to	\$4.73	03/01/2012			A		30,375		03/01/201	3 0	3/01/2022	Commor Stock	30,3	375	\$4.73	30,37	5	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted Stock Award-25% vest per year

/s/ Michael Richardson, by power of attorney 03/05/2012

** 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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