Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>STEER RANDOLPH C</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS INC BCRX]									elationship o ck all applio Directo	cable)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% O	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2190 PARKWAY LAKE DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/16/2007										Officer below)	(give title		Other (s	specify
(Street) BIRMINGHAM AL 35244- (City) (State) (Zip)				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date					h/Day/Year) if an			A. Deemed xecution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securi Disposer 5)		ties Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		or	5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s Forn Illy (D) c ollowing (I) (II		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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			Table II - I (uired, D s, option						Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversio or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day)	ate, Tr	ransaction ode (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		rity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Option ⁽¹⁾	\$7.98	05/16/2007			A		15,000		06/16/200	7 (05/16/2017	Common	15,0	000	\$7.98	15,000)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Automatic non-employee director grant

Michael Richardson by POA 05/17/2007

** 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).
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