## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHA	NGES IN	BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LOWREY ROBERT S				BI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS INC BCRX ]									Check all a	hip of Reportii pplicable) ector icer (give title	:	, 10% O		
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(Street)  DURHA  (City)			27703 Zip)		_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  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. Trans: Date (Month/L					extion 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd Sec Ben Owr	mount of irities eficially ed Following orted	6. Owners Form: Dir (D) or Ind (I) (Instr. 4	ect irect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A (E	A) or O)	Price	Tran	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)	ction(s)		(11341.4)
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>				03/15/2012		2			A		7,327	7	Α	\$(	0	12,452			
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>				03/15	3/15/2012				F		2,686	5	D	\$ <del>5</del> .	23	3 9,766			
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  Security  2. 3. Transaction Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)			Date,		Transaction of Code (Instr. Deriva		ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owne Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	(D) irect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Restricted Stock Award-100% vested upon issue with a six month lock up for sale
- 2. Shares withheld by BioCryst Pharmaceuticals, Inc. upon the vesting of restricted stock to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligation.

## Remarks:

/s/ Michael Richardson, by 03/18/2012 power of attorney

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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