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*							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS INC [									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
DARWIN MICHAEL A							BCRX ]									37	Office	tor er (give title		Owner r (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle)																X	below)			below)	
2190 PARKWAY LAKE DR							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/30/2004									CFO					
(Street)						4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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(City) (State) (Zip)																Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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			Table	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	es Aco	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ber	efici	ally (	Dwne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day)						Exec ay/Year) if an		A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)			Transaction Disposed Code (Instr.		ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and 5)   Secur Benef		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
										Code	v	Amount	() (I	A) or D)	Price		Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)		(111341.4)	
Common Stock 01/30/2							2004 01/3		2004	M		668		A	A \$3.39		5 668		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	rivative Conversion Date Execut curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date, ay/Year)	Code (Instr.		of Derive Security Acquer (A) of Disposor (D)	Expiration (Month/D ecurities cquired s) or isposed (D) nstr. 3, 4 nd 5)				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amount or Number of Title Shares		nstr. 3 nount mber	unt ber		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

Michael Richardson, as Power of Attorney

02/02/2004

\*\* 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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