FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     STAAB THOMAS R II					BI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ BCRX ]											cable) or (give title	ng Per	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s below)	vner
(Last) 4505 EM SUITE 2	IPEROR B	,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2017											below) Senior Vice President			0
(Street) DURHA (City)			27703 (Zip)		_   4. If											ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curit	ies Ac	qu	ired, I	Disp	osed c	of, or	Ben	eficial	ly Owned	k			
			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar)   i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Inst			4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				Benefici Owned I	es ally Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
						Î	Code	v	Amount	()	(A) or Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>				03/08	08/2017					M		6,500	0	A	\$3.7	3 123	3,813		D	
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>				03/08	3/2017					S		3,250	0	D	\$8.2	120	0,563		D	
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 03/					3/2017	/2017			S		3,250	0	D	\$8.6	5 117	7,313		D		
	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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemo Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactior Code (Instr 8)		n of			Date Exe piration onth/Day	Date	Amount of			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat	te ercisable		xpiration ate	Title	0 N	Amount or Number of Shares					
Emp. Stock Option (Right to	\$3.78	03/08/2017			М			6,500	07	//01/2012	. 07	7/01/2021	Comm		6,500	\$0	86,260	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 26, 2016.

/s/ Alane P. Barnes, by power of attorney

03/09/2017

\*\* 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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