

CRYOLIFE INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**LEE DAVID ASHLEY**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**C/O CRYOLIFE INC, 1655  
ROBERTS BLVD NW**  
  
(Street)

**KENNESAW, GA 30144**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CRYOLIFE INC [CRY]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**12/28/2015**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Exec. VP, COO and CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/28/2015		M	700 A \$ 4.83	244,669	D	
Common Stock	12/28/2015		S	700 <sup>(1)</sup> D \$ 11	243,969	D	
Common Stock	12/28/2015		M	300 A \$ 4.83	244,269	D	
Common Stock					5,000	I	By Spouse
Common Stock					1,500	I	By Children

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 4.83	12/28/2015		M	700	02/23/2010 <sup>(2)</sup> 02/23/2016	Common Stock	700
Common Stock	\$ 4.83	12/28/2015		M	300	02/23/2010 <sup>(3)</sup> 02/23/2016	Common Stock	300

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEE DAVID ASHLEY C/O CRYOLIFE INC 1655 ROBERTS BLVD NW KENNESAW, GA 30144			Exec. VP, COO and CFO	

## Signatures

/s/ David Ashley  
Lee

12/30/2015

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) The sale reported on this form was effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 16, 2015.
- (2) Stock option vested 50% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date (February 23, 2009).

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(3) Stock option vested 33 1/3% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date (February 23, 2009).

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