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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Benson James Issuer Symbol CRYOLIFE INC [CRY] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify CRYOLIFE, INC., 1655 ROBERTS 10/02/2017 below) BLVD., NW 4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

KENNESAW, GA 30144

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Code	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount (D) Price	(Ilisti. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/02/2017	10/02/2017	S	$ \begin{array}{ccc} 2,000 & \$ & \\ \underline{^{(1)}} & D & 22.8 \\ \underline{^{(2)}} & \end{array} $	54,086	D	

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)

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						Exercisable I	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Benson James CRYOLIFE, INC. 1655 ROBERTS BLVD., NW KENNESAW, GA 30144	X					

Signatures

/s/ James
Benson

**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, 2016.
- Reflects the price of \$22.80 the shares were sold. The reporting person will provide upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at this price.

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