

# VICAL INC Reported by MARXE AUSTIN W & GREENHOUSE DAVID M

## FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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SIC Code 2836 - Biological Products, Except Diagnostic Substances

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP **OF SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol						Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
MARXE AUSTIN W &				VICAL INC [ VICL ]						Direct	0.00		<b>X</b> 10%	Ouman			
GREENHOUSE DAVID M																	
(Last)	(First)		(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)					Office below)	r (give title b	elow)	Othe	r (specify			
C/O SPECIAL SITUATIONS				6/12/2009													
FUNDS, 527 MADISON AVENUE, SUITE 2600																	
	(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
NEW YORK	NY 100	022															
(City)	(State)		(Zip)								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)			Trans.	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Trans. 4. Securities Code Acquired (A) (Instr. 8) Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and				Following Report (Instr. 3 and 4)		g Reported Tra	eported Transaction(s)		Ownership Form: Be Direct (D) Ow	Beneficial Ownership		
			any		Code	V	Amount	or (D)	1	e		(		(I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 6/3				12/200	9	S		<b>5000</b> (1)	D	\$3		4545965 <sup>(1)</sup>				By Limited Partnerships	
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Deemed Execution	4. Trans. Code (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities 3) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		and Expiration Date S				7. Title and Amou Securities Underly Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		ving y	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Ownersh Form of Derivativ Security: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr.	(Instr. 4)
				Code	V (A	(D)	Date Exercisal	ble	Expiration Date	on ,		Amount or I Shares	Number of		Transactio (s) (Instr. 4		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

(1) This is a joint filing by Austin W. Marxe (Marxe) and David M. Greenhouse (Greenhouse). They share voting and investment control over all securities owned by Special Situations Fund III QP, L.P (QP), Special Situations Cayman Fund, L.P. (Cayman), Special Situations Private Equity Fund, LP (PE) and Special Situations Life Sciences Fund, L.P. (LS). 2,465,074 shares of Common Stock are owned by QP, 749,821 shares of Common Stock are owned by Cayman, 157,230 shares of Common Stock are owned by PE and 1,173,840 shares of Common Stock are owned by LS. The interest of Marxe and Greenhouse in the shares of Common Stock owned by QP, Cayman, PE and LS are limited to the extent of his pecuniary interest.

#### Reporting Owners

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MARXE AUSTIN W & GREENHOUSE DAVID M		X				

C/O SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUNDS		1
527 MADISON AVENUE, SUITE 2600		
NEW YORK, NY 10022		

#### **Signatures**

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Austin W. Marxe	6/16/2009		
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
David M. Greenhouse	6/16/2009		
** C'	Date		

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

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