

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>STAAB THOMAS R II</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 4505 EMPEROR BLVD. SUITE 200 (Street) DURHAM NC 27703 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS INC [BCRX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Senior Vice President and CFO
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/02/2018	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/02/2018		M		3,250	A	\$3.78	140,633	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/02/2018		S		3,250	D	\$7.19 ⁽²⁾	137,383	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/02/2018		M		5,528	A	\$3.22	142,911	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/02/2018		S		5,528	D	\$7.27 ⁽³⁾	137,383	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/03/2018		M		972	A	\$3.22	138,355	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/03/2018		S		972	D	\$7.26 ⁽⁴⁾	137,383	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/03/2018		M		100	A	\$3.78	137,483	D	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	10/03/2018		S		100	D	\$7.45	137,383	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. 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Emp. Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$3.78	10/02/2018		M			3,250	07/01/2012	07/01/2021	Common Stock	3,250	\$0	52,555	D	
Emp. Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$3.22	10/02/2018		M			5,528	05/23/2017	05/23/2026	Common Stock	5,528	\$0	123,899	D	
Emp. Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$3.22	10/03/2018		M			972	05/23/2017	05/23/2026	Common Stock	972	\$0	122,927	D	
Emp. Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$3.78	10/03/2018		M			100	07/01/2012	07/01/2021	Common Stock	100	\$0	52,455	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 17, 2018.
- The price in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$7.10 to \$7.32. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$7.25 to \$7.32. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the

issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range set forth in this footnote.

4. The price in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$7.25 to \$7.26. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range set forth in this footnote.

/s/ Alane P. Barnes, by power
of attorney 10/04/2018

** 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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