McDowell Caryn Gordon Form 4 October 10, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * McDowell Caryn Gordon

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CYTOKINETICS INC [CYTK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First)

280 EAST GRAND AVENUE

(Street)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

10/06/2017

Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify

GC & Chief Compliance Officer

_X__ Officer (give title below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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Person

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired ansaction(A) or Disposed of (D) de (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/06/2017		M <u>(1)</u>	6,357	A	\$ 6.37	24,726	D	
Common Stock	10/06/2017		S(2)	2,000	D	\$ 15.2	22,726	D	
Common Stock	10/06/2017		M(1)	1,507	A	\$ 6.67	24,233	D	
Common Stock	10/06/2017		S(2)	500	D	\$ 15.25	23,733	D	
Common Stock	10/06/2017		M(1)	3,719	A	\$ 6.67	27,452	D	

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10/06/2017	S(2)	383	D	\$ 15.275	27,069	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	1,094	D	\$ 15.3	25,975	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	200	D	\$ 15.325	25,775	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	1,106	D	\$ 15.35	24,669	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	600	D	\$ 15.4	24,069	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	200	D	\$ 15.5	23,869	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	700	D	\$ 15.55	23,169	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	400	D	\$ 15.575	22,769	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	1,100	D	\$ 15.6	21,669	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	200	D	\$ 15.625	21,469	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	700	D	\$ 15.65	20,769	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	800	D	\$ 15.675	19,969	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	1,100	D	\$ 15.7	18,869	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	100	D	\$ 15.725	18,769	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	200	D	\$ 15.75	18,569	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	200	D	\$ 15.95	18,369	D
10/06/2017	S(2)	1,598	D	\$ 15.7	16,771	D
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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e	7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.37	10/06/2017		M	6,357	05/29/2016	05/29/2025	Common Stock	6,3
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.67	10/06/2017		M	3,719	03/23/2016	02/23/2026	Common Stock	3,7
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.67	10/06/2017		M	1,507	03/23/2016	02/23/2026	Common Stock	1,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

McDowell Caryn Gordon 280 EAST GRAND AVENUE SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

GC & Chief Compliance Officer

Signatures

Caryn
McDowell

**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 exercise reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on June 13, 2017.
- (2) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on June 13, 2017. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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