

Emergent BioSolutions Inc.
Form 4
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FORM 4

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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 *
Elsey R Don

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2273 RESEARCH BLVD, SUITE 400

(Street)

ROCKVILLE, MD 20850

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Emergent BioSolutions Inc. [EBS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/12/2008

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)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price (A) or (D)		
Common Stock	12/12/2008		M		10,000 A \$ 10.13	10,300	D
Common Stock	12/12/2008		S		6,705 D \$ 22 (2)	3,595	D
Common Stock	12/12/2008		S		100 D \$ 22.01 (2)	3,495	D
Common Stock	12/12/2008		S		595 D \$ 22.02 (2)	2,900	D
	12/12/2008		S		200 D	2,700	D

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Common Stock					\$			
					22.16			
					<u>(2)</u>			
Common Stock	12/12/2008		S	2,400	D	\$	22.25	300
						<u>(2)</u>		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)

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
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.13	12/12/2008		M	10,000	<u>(1)</u> 12/12/2013	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Elsy R Don
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Signatures

/s/R. Don Elsey 12/16/2008

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The option is vested with respect to 10,000 shares. The remaining 10,000 shares will vest on December 12, 2009.

(2) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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