KERYX BIOPHARMACEUTICALS INC

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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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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WEISS MICHAEL S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol **KERYX**

BIOPHARMACEUTICALS INC

(Check all applicable)

[KERX]

Director

X__ 10% Owner

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

787 7TH AVENUE, 48TH FLOOR

04/05/2010

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative So	ired, 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/05/2010		S	290,100	D	\$ 3.58	1,768,167	D	
Common Stock	04/05/2010		M	200,000	A	\$ 1.3	1,968,167	D	
Common Stock	04/12/2010		S	150,000	D	\$ 4.12	1,818,167	D	
Common Stock	04/12/2010		M	150,000	A	\$ 1.3	1,968,167	D	
Common Stock	04/13/2010		S	20,100	D	\$ 4.8	1,948,067	D	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	J
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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					of (D)						(
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				G 1 17	(A) (B)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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WEISS MICHAEL S
787 7TH AVENUE
48TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10019

Signatures

/s/ Michael S.

Weiss 04/13/2010

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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