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 Name and Address of Reporting Person * KNOTT DAVID M 		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARROWHEAD RESEARCH CORP [ARWR]					
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	01/24/2006	5	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
485 UNDERHILL BLVD, SUITE 205			(Check	k all applicable	e)	Thed(Monanday, Teal)			
(Street) SYOSSET, NY 11	791			Director Officer (give title belo	Oth	er	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		ture of Indirect Beneficial ership :. 5)		
Common stock, \$0.00	l par value	per share	40,300		I	By A	Anno, L.P. (1)		
Common stock, \$0.00	l par value	per share	160,200		I		Commonfund Hedged Equity npany (1)		
Common stock, \$0.00	l par value	per share	45,600		I	-	Good Steward Trading npany SPC (1)		
Common stock, \$0.00	l par value	per share	1,330,500		I	Ву І	Knott Partners, L.P. (1)		
Common stock, \$0.00	l par value	per share	1,739,181		I	•	Matterhorn Offshore Fund ited (1)		
Common stock, \$0.00	l par value	per share	733,800		I	By S	Shoshone Partners, LP (1)		
Reminder: Report on a sepa owned directly or indirectly	eurities benefic	ially	SEC 1473 (7-0	2)					

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Warrant to purchase Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	07/25/2006	01/24/2011	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	3,075	\$ 4.5	I	By Anno, L.P. (1)
Warrant to purchase Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	07/25/2006	01/24/2011	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	12,075	\$ 4.5	I	By Commonfund Hedged Equity Company (1)
Warrant to purchase Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	07/25/2006	01/24/2011	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	3,450	\$ 4.5	I	By Good Steward Trading Company SPC (1)
Warrant to purchase Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	07/25/2006	01/24/2011	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	108,475	\$ 4.5	I	By Knott Partners, L.P. (1)
Warrant to purchase Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	07/25/2006	01/24/2011	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	161,688	\$ 4.5	I	By Matterhorn Offshore Fund Limited (1)
Warrant to purchase Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	07/25/2006	01/24/2011	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share	68,400	\$ 4.5	I	By Shoshone Partners, LP (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KNOTT DAVID M 485 UNDERHILL BLVD SUITE 205 SYOSSET, NYÂ 11791

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Signatures

David M. Knott 01/30/2006

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

The Reporting Person is the managing member of Knott Partners Management, LLC, which is the sole General Partner of Shoshone Partners, L.P. and managing general partner of Knott Partners, L.P. In addition, the Reporting Person is the sole shareholder, director and president of Dorset Management Corporation, which provides investment management services to those entities listed in Table I(3). As a

(1) result of the Reporting Person's interests in Knott Partners Management, LLC and Dorset Management Corporation, the Reporting Person has investment discretion and control in the securities in Table I(2). The Reporting Person may be deemed to beneficially own indirect pecuniary interest in securities in Table I(2) as a result of a performance related fee. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership therein except to the extent ultimately realized.

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