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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Thomson Dav	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			MANNKIND CORP [MNKD]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
28903 NORTH AVENUE PAINE			06/15/2006	_X_ Officer (give title Other (spe below)		
				VP & General Counsel		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Ch		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
				X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
VALENCIA, CA 91355				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	Perivative	Secur	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	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. Security (A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	06/15/2006		M	2,570	A	\$ 7.95	26,032	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	06/15/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	2,570	D	\$ 17.142	23,462	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.95	06/15/2006		M	2,570	11/05/2004	11/05/2007	Common Stock, \$.01 Par Value	2,570

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Thomson David

28903 NORTH AVENUE PAINE VP & General Counsel

VALENCIA, CA 91355

Signatures

/s/ David

Thomson 06/16/2006

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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) Transaction occurred pursuant to Rule 10B5-1 Plan.

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