

QUIDEL CORP /DE/  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Dammeyer Rodney F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE,  
SUITE 200

(Street)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
QUIDEL CORP /DE/ [QDEL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/04/2015

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V Amount (A) or (D) Price   |   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 05/04/2015                           |  | M                              | 417 (1) A \$ 0  | 4,323 (2)   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 05/04/2015                           |  | G                              | 4,323 (2) D \$ 0  | 0   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 05/04/2015                           |  | G                              | 4,323 (2) A \$ 0  | 39,015  | I  | By Family Trust                   |

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                      | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units (Converted)         | (3)  | 05/05/2015                           |  | A                              | 2,412   | (4)  | (5)   | Common Stock               | 2,412                      |
| Restricted Stock Units (Premium)           | (3)  | 05/05/2015                           |  | A                              | 482   | 05/05/2016   | (5)   | Common Stock               | 482                        |
| Restricted Stock Units (Equity Grant)      | (3)  | 05/05/2015                           |  | A                              | 962   | 05/05/2016   | (6)   | Common Stock               | 962                        |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option                 | \$ 22.86   | 05/05/2015                           |  | A                              | 7,021   | 05/05/2016   | 05/05/2025  | Common Stock               | 7,021                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Dammeyer Rodney F<br>12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE, SUITE 200<br>SAN DIEGO, CA 92130 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

Robert J. Bujarski, attorney-in-fact for Rodney F. Dammeyer  
05/06/2015

\*\*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) Reflects vesting of prior restricted units, which were previously reported on a Form 4.

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- These shares were gifted by the Reporting Person to the Reporting Person's Dammeyer Family Trust. The Reporting Person disclaims all
- (2) beneficial ownership of the shares owned by the Dammeyer Family Trust, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest, if any, and the inclusion of these shares in this report should not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
  - (3) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of Quidel Corporation common stock.
  - (4) The restricted stock units vest on the date of grant, May 5, 2015.
  - (5) The restricted stock units were received in lieu of cash payments to the reporting person for certain retainer and Board of Director service-related fees under a deferred compensation program applicable to participating non-employee directors.
- The restricted stock units vest upon the earlier of (i) immediately prior to the annual meeting of Quidel Corporation's stockholders in
- (6) 2016 or (b) on the first anniversary of the grant date or May 5, 2016. The restricted stock units vest upon the earlier of (i) immediately prior to the annual meeting of Quidel Corporation's stockholders in 2016 or (b) on the first anniversary of the grant date or May 5, 2016.

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