

SEELEY BRUCE J.

Form 4

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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 *
SEELEY BRUCE J.

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

CTI BIOPHARMA CORP [ctic]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
3101 WESTERN AVENUE, SUITE
600

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

09/29/2017

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

EVP, Chief Operating Officer

(Street)

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

SEATTLE, WA 98121

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 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	(D)	Price

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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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nun Sha
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.19	09/29/2017	A	350,000			(1)		09/29/2027		Common Stock	35

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
SEELEY BRUCE J. 3101 WESTERN AVENUE SUITE 600 SEATTLE, WA 98121	EVP, Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

Bruce J. Seeley 10/03/2017
 **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) The stock options will vest in six equal semi-annual installments over a three-year period beginning September 29, 2017 subject to continued employment by CTIC through the applicable vesting dates.

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