FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DOW STEPHEN M</u>					CY	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     CYTOKINETICS INC [ CYTK ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									ationship of Reportin all applicable) Director		ng Person(s) to Is			
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (	Middle)			05/18/2011									Officer below)	r (give title )		Other (s	specify	
C/O SEVIN ROSEN FUNDS 13455 NOEL ROAD, SUITE 1670						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X 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. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Exe if ar	Deemed cution Date, ry nth/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. and 5)		ities Acqu d Of (D) (I				ties For cially (D) I Ind ving (Ins		m: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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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)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		of De Se	Price erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er						
Common Stock	\$1.44	05/18/2011			Α		20,000		06/18/2011 <sup>(1</sup>	0.5	5/18/2021	Common Stock	20,00		\$0	20,000		D		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Stock Options vest and are exercisable monthly over a period of twelve months and are fully vested on May 18, 2012.

John V. Jaggers, As Attorney-In-Fact 05/19/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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