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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <b>Jaw Ching</b> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <b>280 EAST GRAND AVENUE</b> <hr/> (Street) <b>SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO CA 94080</b> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>CYTOKINETICS INC [ CYTK ]</b>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SVP Finance &amp; CFO</b>		
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>08/21/2020</b>					
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

**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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/21/2020		M <sup>(1)</sup>		10,000	A	\$7.14	83,300 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2020		S <sup>(1)</sup>		10,000	D	\$25	73,300 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2020		M <sup>(1)</sup>		15,000	A	\$7.8	88,300 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	08/21/2020		S <sup>(1)</sup>		15,000	D	\$25	73,300 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$7.14	08/21/2020		M <sup>(1)</sup>			10,000	03/26/2019	02/26/2029	Common Stock	10,000	\$0.0	25,732 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$7.8	08/21/2020		M <sup>(1)</sup>			15,000	03/27/2018	02/27/2028	Common Stock	15,000	\$0.0	23,333 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Transaction effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan entered into by the Reporting Person on June 26, 2020.
- Includes 648 shares of common stock purchased pursuant to the Issuer's 2015 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (ESPP).

By: Robert Wong For: Ching Jaw 08/21/2020

\*\* 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).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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