FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Gano Kyle			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 01/16/2013		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC [NBIX]					
(Last) NEUROCRIN	(First)	(Middle)			Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director	on(s) to Issue	(M	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
12780 EL CAMINO REAL			_		X Officer (give title below) Chief Business Dev	Other (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
(Street) SAN DIEGO	CA	92130			Clifet Busiliess Dev	/ Officer			y One Reporting Person y More than One erson	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
			Table I - Nor	n-Derivat	tive Securities Beneficial	y Owned	· · · · · ·			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock					22,488	D	D			
					e Securities Beneficially ants, options, convertible		s)			
1. Title of Deriva	tive Security (I	nstr. 4)	2. Date Exerc Expiration Day/	ate	3. Title and Amount of Securi Underlying Derivative Securit	(Instr. 4) Conversion Ownership Beneficial Ownership or Exercise Form: (Instr. 5)				
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Employee Stoo	k Option (rig	tht to buy)	(1)	09/26/2013	3 Common Stock	2,400	10.9	D		
Employee Stoo	k Option (rig	tht to buy)	(2)	03/12/2015	Common Stock	9,000	5	D		
Employee Stoo	k Option (rig	tht to buy)	(3)	05/11/2017	7 Common stock	40,000	2.59	D		
Employee Stoo	k Option (rig	ht to buy)	(4)	08/25/2021	Common Stock	75,000	5.76	D		
Employee Stoo	k Option (rig	tht to buy)	(5)	01/12/2022	2 Common Stock	70,000	8.66	D		
Employee Stoo	ck Option (rig	to buy)	(6)	01/10/2023	3 Common Stock	60,000	8.65	D		
Restricted Stoc	k Unit		(7)	(7)	Common Stock	10,000	0(8)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option vested in annual installments over three years. The first installment became exercisable on September 26, 2007.
- 2. The option vested in annual installments over three years. The first installment became exercisable on March 12, 2009.
- 3. The option vests in monthly installments over three years. The first installment became exercisable on June 11, 2010.
- 4. The option vests in monthly installments over three years. The first installment became exercisable on September 25, 2011.
- 5. The option vests in monthly installments over four years. The first installment became exercisable on February 12, 2012.
- 6. The option vests in monthly installments over four years. The first installment becomes exercisable on February 10, 2013.
- 7. The restricted stock units will vest annually at 1/4 of the units vesting on January 10, 2014, January 10, 2015, January 10, 2016 and January 10, 2017, respectively.
- 8. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Neurocrine Biosciences, Inc. Common Stock.

Remarks:

Margaret E. Valeur- Jensen, By 01/28/2013 Power of Attorney

** 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 5 (b)(v).
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