FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  VALE WYLIE W						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC  NBIX ]										tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title		g Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify		Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) THE SALK INSTITUTE 10010 N.TORREY PINES ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2005											belov			below)		
(Street) LA JOLLA CA 92037  (City) (State) (Zip)					_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indiv ine) X						
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	/ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Secu Bene		icially d Following	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	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111501.4)	
Common Stock					11/01/2005		11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		3,179		D	\$55		268,193		D			
Common Stock					11/01/2005		11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,700		D	\$55.01		266,493		D			
Common Stock					11/01/2005		11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100		D	\$55.02		266,393		D <sup>(2</sup>	)		
	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. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da	Date, Transaction Code (Ins			on of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)		ount	Deri	ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Relowing Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	of	ares							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The reported sale was effected by a broker pursuant to instructions set forth in a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person and delivered to the broker on August 9, 2005.
- 2. 197,798 shares are held by the Reporting Person; 68,595 shares held indirectly by WBV Limited Liability Company

## Remarks:

Margaret E. Valeur-Jensen, By Power of Attorney

11/02/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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