

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)	
<u>BRYANT DOUGLAS C</u>			<u>QUIDEL CORP /DE/ [ QDEL ]</u>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <b>President &amp; CEO</b>	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			
			<u>11/28/2018</u>			
12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE, SUITE 200			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
(Street)					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
<u>SAN DIEGO</u>	<u>CA</u>	<u>92130</u>				
(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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	11/28/2018		M		8,745	A	\$12.36	303,058	D	
Common Stock	11/28/2018		M		9,288	A	\$15.28	312,346	D	
Common Stock	11/28/2018		S		18,033	D	\$61.17 <sup>(1)</sup>	294,313	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)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$12.36	11/28/2018		M	8,745	02/02/2013	02/02/2019	Common Stock	8,745	\$0.00	0	D
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$15.28	11/28/2018		M	9,288	01/18/2014	01/18/2020	Common Stock	9,288	\$0.00	46,170	D

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. The weighted average sale price for these transactions was \$61.17 per share, with a range of \$60.03 to \$62.04. Upon request, the Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide to staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder, the full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

**Remarks:**

All transactions reported herein were effected pursuant to a pre-established 10b5-1 trading plan.

Robert J. Bujarski, attorney-in-fact for Douglas C. Bryant 11/30/2018

\*\* 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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