## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	—		Person	-	
(Street) KENNESAW	GA	30144		X	Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th		
1655 ROBERT	FS BLVD., NV	V	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Fil	ing (Check Applicable	
CRYOLIFE, INC. 1655 ROBERTS BLVD., NW					VP Reg. Affrs. and Qual Assur.		
(Last) (First) (Middl		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2009	x	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>®</sup> FRONK DAVID			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CRYOLIFE INC</u> [CRY]		ationship of Reporting P < all applicable) Director	erson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ifany	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/16/2009		A		5,000(1)	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	37,090	D	

#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g. puts calls warrants options convertible securities)

	(e.g., puts, cans, 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)				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)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares of restricted stock that vest on the third anniversary of the grant date if the reporting person remains in the continuous employ of the Company.

**Remarks:** 

### /s/ David Fronk

02/18/2009

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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