## FORM 5

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Form 3 Holdings Reported.

Form 4 Transactions Reported.

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## ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL **OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> SCHEPERS JOSEPH T			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CRYOLIFE INC</u> [ CRY ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner							
(Last)	(Fir	st) (I	Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2004								х	belov	,		belo	'	
CRYOLIFE, INC. 1655 ROBERTS BLVD., N.W.				4 16 4								VP - Corporate Communications						
				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							· ·	<ol> <li>Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicabl Line)</li> </ol>					к Арріісаріе	
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(City)	(Sta	ate) (2	Zip)															
		Tabl	e I - Non-Deriv	vative Secu	uritie	es Acc	quire	d, Dis	sposed o	of, or	Benefici	ially	v Owne	ed				
Da		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5				5) Sec				ership	'. Nature of ndirect Beneficial		
							(monta) 2 ay, roal)	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Owned at end of Di Issuer's Fiscal In		Dire	ct (D) or rect (I)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock													542(1)			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)	of Deri Secu Acqu (A) c Disp of (D	osed )) :r. 3, 4	Expir	ate Exercisable and iration Date nth/Day/Year) Expiration		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4) Amou or Numb		nt		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 542 shares acquired under the CryoLife, Inc. discounted employee stock purchase plan during 2004.

**Remarks:** 

/s/ Joseph T. Schepers

02/07/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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

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