FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person $^*$ Holloway Jean F						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CRYOLIFE INC [ CRY ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1655 ROBERTS BLVD., NW						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/12/2018								helow)	(give title VP, Gene	ral Co	Other (specify below)	
(Street) KENNESAW GA 30144  (City) (State) (Zip)					4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					saction	ear)	2A. Deeme Execution if any	A. Deemed cecution Date,		3. 4. Transaction Di Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquir I Of (D) (Ins	ed (A) or	5. Amou Securitie Beneficie Owned F	nt of s ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 03/12/2						2018 03/12/2018			A		7,425	7,425 <sup>(1)</sup> A		60,002			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 D if any (Month/Day)	Date,	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Sect (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)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$21.55	03/12/2018	03/12/20	18	A		19,092		03/12/2019	0	3/12/2025	Common Stock	19,092	\$0	19,092	2	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents share 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.

/s/ Jean Holloway

03/14/2018

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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