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 [*] Gale David C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CRYOLIFE INC</u> [CRY]		tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) CRYOLIFE, INC.		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2013	x	Officer (give title below) VP-Research and I	Other (specify below)		
1655 ROBERTS BLVD., N.W.			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line)	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable			
(Street) KENNESAW (City)	GA (State)	30144 (Zip)	_	X	Form filed by One Re Form filed by More th Person			
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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)	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	· Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/07/2013		F		2,030(1)	D	\$6.08	34,269	D	

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (Ir 8)		of Expiration		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate			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. These shares were withheld upon the vesting of performance shares to pay tax withholding obligations.

Remarks:

/s/ David C. Gale 03/11/2013

** 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).

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