FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Getz Matthew A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CRYOLIFE INC [ CRY ]								heck a	all appli Directo	icer (give title		10% Ov	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1655 ROBERTS BLVD NW					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2020									below)	Other (s below) sources			респу	
(Street) KENNES (City)			30144 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					n
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,		Code			(A) or (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followi Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		es ally Following d ion(s)	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
	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)	Derivative Conversion Date Execution Da Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				Code (Instr		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)				10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Phantom Stock	(1)	05/05/2020			A		1,396		(1)		(1)	Phantom Stock	1,396	(	(1)	3,176		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents phantom stock that is the economic equivalent of one share of CRY common stock. This phantom stock will not convert to shares, but will be settled in cash on or about April 27, 2021.

/s/ Matthew A Getz

05/07/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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