CTI BIOPHARMA CORP

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

SUITE 600

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Parkinson David Ross

(First)

(Middle)

C/O CTI BIOPHARMA CORP., 3101 WESTERN AVE.,

(Street)

(State)

SEATTLE, WA 98121

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol CTI BIOPHARMA CORP [CTIC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

06/05/2017

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

X_ Director below)

Issuer

Officer (give title

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Other (specify

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. Code (Instr. 8)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8 Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	Securities (Month/Day, Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		'Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.07	06/05/2017		A		50,000		<u>(1)</u>	06/05/2027	Common Stock	50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Parkinson David Ross C/O CTI BIOPHARMA CORP. 3101 WESTERN AVE., SUITE 600 SEATTLE, WA 98121	X					

Signatures

/s/ Bruce J. Seeley, Attorney-in-fact for David
Parkinson 06/07/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- The stock options will vest on the first to occur of (1) June 5, 2018, (2) immediately prior to the first annual meeting of the Company's shareholders that occurs in 2018 and at which one or more members of the Board are to be elected, or (3) immediately prior to the occurrence of a Change in Control (as such term is defined in the 2017 Equity Incentive Plan), subject to Dr. Parkinson's continued service through such date or event.

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