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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement BIOVAIL CORP INTERNATIONAL [BVF] Mayer Christine (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O BIOVAIL (Check all applicable) CORPORATION,, 7150 MISSISSAUGA ROAD 10% Owner Director (Street) _X__ Officer Other 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) VP, BTA Pharmaceuticals, Inc. _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person MISSISSAUGA, A6Â L5N Form filed by More than One 8M5 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) No Non-Derivative Securities are 0 D Â Beneficially Owned Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security | 2. Date Exercisable and | 3. Title and Amount of | 4. | 5. | 6. Nature of Indirect |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| (Instr. 4) | Expiration Date | Securities Underlying | Conversion | Ownership | Beneficial |
| | (Month/Day/Year) | | or Exercise | Form of | Ownership |

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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | (Instr. 4) Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Price of Derivative Security | Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | (Instr. 5) |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|------------|
| Stock Options (right to purchase) | (1) | 08/09/2010 | Common Stock, no par value | 20,000 | \$ 17.45 | D | Â |
| Stock Options (right to purchase) | (2) | 03/30/2011 | Common Stock, no par value | 5,333 | \$ 24.5 | D | Â |
| Stock Options (right to purchase) | (3) | 03/22/2012 | Common Stock, no par value | 25,000 | \$ 22.05 | D | Â |
| Restricted Share Units | 03/12/2011 | 03/12/2011 | Common Stock, no par value | 7,491 <u>(4)</u> | \$ <u>(5)</u> | D | Â |
| Stock Options (right to purchase) | (6) | 04/01/2013 | Common Stock, no par value | 75,000 | \$ 10.83 | D | Â |
| Restricted Share Units | 02/25/2012 | 02/25/2012 | Common Stock, no par value | 6,555 <u>(7)</u> | \$ <u>(5)</u> | D | Â |
| Stock Options (right to purchase) | (8) | 03/09/2014 | Common Stock, no par value | 75,000 | \$ 10.86 | D | Â |
| Restricted Share Units | 08/05/2014 | 08/05/2014 | Common Stock, no par value | 50,306 (9) | \$ <u>(5)</u> | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| Mayer Christine C/O BIOVAIL CORPORATION, 7150 MISSISSAUGA ROAD MISSISSAUGA, A6 L5N 8M5 | Â | Â | VP, BTA Pharmaceuticals, Inc. | Â | |

Signatures

/s/ Angie Palmer, by Power of
Attorney

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) On August 9, 2005, the Reporting Person was granted 20,000 Stock Options, all of which are currently exercisable.
- (2) On March 30, 2006, the Reporting Person was granted 5,333 Stock Options, all of which are currently exercisable.
- On March 22, 2007, the Reporting Person was granted 25,000 Stock Options. 6,250 Stock Options were exercisable as of the grant date (3) and 6,250 Stock Options vested and became exercisable on each of March 1, 2008 and 2009. The remaining 6,250 Stock Options will vest and become exercisable on March 1, 2010.
- Includes an initial grant of 6,250 Restricted Share Units (granted on March 12, 2008) and additional Restricted Share Units that were

 (4) allocated to the Reporting Person as dividend equivalents on the payment date(s) of dividends on Common Stock, no par value, of Biovail Corporation (the "Common Stock").
- (5) Each Restricted Share Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.
- On April 1, 2008, the Reporting Person was granted 75,000 Stock Options. 25,000 Stock Options vested and became exercisable on April 1, 2009. 25,000 Stock Options will vest and become exercisable on each of April 1, 2010 and 2011.
- (7) Includes an initial grant of 6,250 Restricted Share Units (granted on February 25, 2009) and additional Restricted Share Units that were allocated to the Reporting Person as dividend equivalents on the payment date(s) of dividends on Common Stock.
- (8) On March 9, 2009, the Reporting Person was granted 75,000 Stock Options, which will vest and become exercisable in three equal installments commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (9) Includes an initial grant of 50,000 performance based Restricted Share Units (granted on August 5, 2009) and additional Restricted Share Units that were allocated to the Reporting Person as dividend equivalents on the payment date(s) of dividends on Common Stock.

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Remarks:

See Exhibit 24.1 - Power of Attorney

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