

Anika Therapeutics, Inc.
Form 4
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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
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LAND RAYMOND J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

32 WIGGINS AVENUE

(Street)

BEDFORD, MA 01730

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

Anika Therapeutics, Inc. [ANIK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

02/26/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock <u>(1)</u>	02/26/2015		M		4,500 A	\$ 10.5 19,689	D
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	02/26/2015		M		1,770 A	\$ 10.51 21,459	D
Common Stock	02/26/2015		F		1,649 <u>(3)</u> D	\$ 39.96 19,810	D
Common Stock	02/27/2015		S		4,621 D	\$ 39.49 15,189	D

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

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(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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 10.5	02/26/2015		A		4,500		<u>(1)</u>	01/24/2016	Common Stock	4,500
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 10.51	02/26/2015		A		1,770		<u>(2)</u>	01/26/2016	Common Stock	1,770

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
LAND RAYMOND J 32 WIGGINS AVENUE BEDFORD, MA 01730	X

Signatures

/s/ Sylvia Cheung for Charles H. Sherwood,
Attorney-in-Fact 03/02/2015

__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).

- (1) Exercise of stock appreciation rights ("SARs") granted on January 24, 2006 vesting in four annual installments beginning January 24, 2007.
- (2) Exercise of SARs granted on January 26, 2006 vesting in four annual installments beginning January 26, 2007.
- (3) Reflects 1,649 shares of common stock to cover the exercise of the above listed SARs awards by the Reporting Person on February 26, 2015.

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