

XBiotech Inc.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MCKENZIE W THORPE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

8201 E RIVERSIDE DR, BLDG. 4  
STE. 100

(Street)

AUSTIN, TX 78744

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
XBiotech Inc. [XBIT]

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

03/17/2016

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	03/17/2016		O	500,000	A \$ 10 3,898,600	D	
Common Shares					5,000	I	By Trust
Common Shares					5,000	I	By Trust
Common Shares					100,000	I	By Foundation
Common Shares					100,000	I	By Spouse

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 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 Number of Shares
Stock Option (2)	\$ 10	03/17/2016		O	500,000	03/20/2014 03/20/2016	Common Stock	500,000	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCKENZIE W THORPE 8201 E RIVERSIDE DR BLDG. 4 STE. 100 AUSTIN, TX 78744	X	X		

## Signatures

/s/ W. Thorpe  
McKenzie

03/22/2016

\_\_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) On March 17, 2016, the Reporting Person exercised his option to acquire 500,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock from the CEO of the Issuer at an exercise price of \$10.00 per share.
- (2) The Reporting Person purchased an option from the CEO of the Issuer on March 20, 2014 which granted him an option to acquire 500,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock at an exercise price of \$10.00 per share for a period of two years from the grant date.

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