

CTI BIOPHARMA CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
**Plunkett Matthew**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 3101 WESTERN AVENUE, SUITE 600  
 (Street)

SEATTLE, WA 98121

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CTI BIOPHARMA CORP [ctic]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**04/06/2015**

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)  
 EVP, Corporate Development

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	04/06/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>	800 D	\$ 1.86 727,509	D	
Common Stock	04/06/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>	800 D	\$ 1.865 726,709	D	
Common Stock	04/06/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>	5,300 D	\$ 1.87 721,409	D	
Common Stock	04/06/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>	769 D	\$ 1.875 720,640	D	
Common Stock	04/06/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,900 D	\$ 1.88 718,740	D	

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Common Stock	04/06/2015	S <sup>(1)</sup>	2,000	D	\$ 1.885	716,740	D
Common Stock	04/06/2015	S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,400	D	\$ 1.89	715,340	D
Common Stock	04/06/2015	S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 1.895	715,240	D
Common Stock	04/06/2015	S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,600	D	\$ 1.9	713,640	D
Common Stock	04/06/2015	S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 1.905	713,540	D
Common Stock	04/06/2015	S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,400	D	\$ 1.91	712,140	D
Common Stock	04/06/2015	S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 1.915	712,040	D
Common Stock	04/06/2015	S <sup>(1)</sup>	300	D	\$ 1.92	711,740	D

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V (A) (D)		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

Plunkett Matthew  
3101 WESTERN AVENUE, SUITE 600  
SEATTLE, WA 98121

EVP, Corporate Development

## Signatures

Louis A. Bianco, Attorney-in-fact for Matthew  
Plunkett

04/08/2015

\_\_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) The sale was effected pursuant to a rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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