

BIOTIME INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
STERNBERG HAL

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1301 HARBOR BAY PARKWAY  
(Street)

ALAMEDA, CA 94502

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BIOTIME INC [BTIM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/28/2009

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)  
Vice President

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 or Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Shares, no par value     | 05/28/2009                           |  | M                              |   | 45,000 A \$ 2   | 299,270 (1)  | D                                 |
| Common Shares, no par value     | 05/28/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 2,928 D \$ 2.7703   | 296,342 (1)  | D                                 |
| Common Shares, no par value     | 05/28/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 5,000 D \$ 2.8  | 291,342 (1)  | D                                 |
| Common Shares, no               | 05/28/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 4,700 D \$ 2.75   | 286,642 (1)  | D                                 |

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par value

Common Shares, no 05/28/2009 S 1,000 D \$ 2.71 285,642 <sup>(1)</sup> D  
par value

Common Shares, no 05/28/2009 S 2,600 D \$ 2.6519 283,042 <sup>(1)</sup> D  
par value

Common Shares, no 05/28/2009 S 1,000 D \$ 2.61 282,042 <sup>(1)</sup> D  
par value

Common Shares, no 05/28/2009 S 18,000 D \$ 2.64 264,042 <sup>(1)</sup> D  
par value

Common Shares, no 05/28/2009 S 2,000 D \$ 2.6 262,042 <sup>(1)</sup> D  
par value

Common Shares, no 05/28/2009 S 7,772 D \$ 2.55 254,270 <sup>(1)</sup> D  
par value

Common Shares, no 05/29/2009 M 5,000 A \$ 2 259,270 <sup>(1)</sup> D  
par value

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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Option to Purchase Common Shares           | \$ 2   | 05/28/2009                           |  | M                              | 45,000  | <sup>(2)</sup> 05/31/2009                                | Common Shares   | 45,000                        |

|   |      |            |   |       |            |            |                  |       |
|---|------|------------|---|-------|------------|------------|------------------|-------|
| Option to<br>Purchase<br>Common<br>Shares | \$ 2 | 05/29/2009 | M | 5,000 | <u>(2)</u> | 05/31/2009 | Common<br>Shares | 5,000 |
|---|------|------------|---|-------|------------|------------|------------------|-------|

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                | Relationships |           |                |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer        | Other |
| STERNBERG HAL<br>1301 HARBOR BAY PARKWAY<br>ALAMEDA, CA 94502 | X             |           | Vice President |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Hal Sternberg                      05/29/2009

\_\_Signature of                      Date  
Reporting Person

## 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) Does not include shares that may be acquired upon the exercise of certain stock options, and shares that may be acquired upon the exercise of certain warrants.
- (2) This option was fully vested.

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