BOYLE J DAVID II

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BOYLE J DAVID II**

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AVI BIOPHARMA INC [AVII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

4575 SW RESEARCH WAY,

SUITE 200

(Last)

(Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2010

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

below) **CFO**

(Street)

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

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

D

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CORVALLIS, OR 97333

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

Stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

65,282

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)

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5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	of (D)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underly (Instr. 3
					(4)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.45	02/09/2010		Code V A	(A) 97,241	(D)	02/09/2011(1)	02/09/2020	Comr
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.21	02/09/2010		J		150,000 (3)	08/18/2008(4)	08/18/2018	Comr
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.45	02/09/2010		A	82,759		02/09/2011(1)	02/09/2020	Comr
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.92						02/10/2010(1)	02/10/2019	Comr
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.21						08/18/2008(4)	08/18/2018	Comr
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.92						02/10/2010(1)	02/10/2019	Comr

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BOYLE J DAVID II 4575 SW RESEARCH WAY, SUITE 200 CORVALLIS, OR 97333			CFO			

Signatures

Reporting Person

1. Title of

2.

John David
Boyle II

**Signature of 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 Stock Option Grant vest as follows: 1/3 vest one year from date of grant and 1/3 each year thereafter until all shares vest three years from grant date.

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- (2) Price not required on initial report of stock option granted.
- (3) Cancellation of 150,000 shares due to performance goals not met according to grant agreement.
- (4) The options vest in equal annual installments over three years beginning on August 18, 2008.

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