

Wolff Henry Ward
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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 *
 Wolff Henry Ward

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC
 [SGMO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/06/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Exec VP & CFO

C/O SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC., POINT RICHMOND TECH CNTR, 501 CANAL BLVD

(Street)

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

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

RICHMOND, CA 94804

(City) (State) (Zip)

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 12/06/2012 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | 45,000 A \$ 0 | 211,219 ⁽²⁾ | 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)

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| 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 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 5.41 | 12/06/2012 | | A | 90,000 | (³) | 12/05/2022 | Common Stock | 90,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Wolff Henry Ward C/O SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC. POINT RICHMOND TECH CNTR, 501 CANAL BLVD RICHMOND, CA 94804 | | | Exec VP & CFO | |

Signatures

/s/ Florence Tam, attorney-in-fact
Date: 12/06/2012

**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) Shares subject to Restricted Stock Units, which will vest in a series of three successive equal annual installments upon the Reporting Person's completion of each year of service over the three year period from the grant date.
- (2) Includes 2,000 shares acquired on April 30, 2012 and 2,000 shares acquired on October 31, 2012 by the Reporting Person under the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) The stock option vests and becomes exercisable for 25% of the shares upon the optionee's completion of one year of service measured from the grant date and vest and become exercisable for the balance of the shares in 36 successive equal monthly installments upon his completion of each additional month of service thereafter.

Remarks:

Exhibit list: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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