ARCA biopharma, Inc.

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ozeroff Christopher David

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(First) (Middle) (Last)

ARCA biopharma, Inc. [ABIO] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

11080 CIRCLEPOINT

(Month/Day/Year) 06/09/2016

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) S.V.P., General Counsel

ROAD, SUITE 140

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

below)

WESTMINSTER, CO 80020

(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 (D) or Owned Following Reported

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

(A) or

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

 $19,585 \frac{(1)}{2}$

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 II S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.3	06/09/2016		A	14,800	<u>(2)</u>	06/08/2026	Common Stock	14,800	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.3	06/09/2016		A	30,200	<u>(3)</u>	06/08/2026	Common Stock	30,200	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Ozeroff Christopher David 11080 CIRCLEPOINT ROAD SUITE 140 WESTMINSTER, CO 80020			S.V.P., General Counsel				

Signatures

/s/ Brian L. Selby, Attorney-in-Fact 06/13/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

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).

Includes (i) remaining 3,571 previously reported shares issued as RSUs under the Plan that vest on 9/17/16, (ii) remaining 2,443 previously reported shares issued as RSUs under the Plan that vest in two equal annual installments beginning on 2/27/17, and (iii) 2,290

- (1) previously reported shares issued as RSUs under the Plan that vest in two equal annual installments beginning 4/2/17, provided that the Reporting Person's continuous service to the Issuer has not been terminated as defined under the Plan; and 11,281 previously reported shares of common stock held directly.
 - Grant to the Reporting Person of a stock option under the Plan, vesting in 36 equal monthly installments from the date of grant, provided that the Reporting Person's continuous service to the Issuer has not been terminated as defined in or as determined under the Plan prior to
- (2) such time. In the event of a change in control of the Issuer, 50% of the unvested options shall become fully and immediately vested upon the closing date of such change in control, provided, however, that on the earlier of (i) the one-year anniversary of the closing date or (ii) involuntary termination, any options that remain unvested on such earlier date shall become fully and immediately vested.
- (3) Grant to the Reporting Person of a stock option under the Plan, vesting upon achievement of certain pre-specified corporate milestones related to enrollment for the GENETIC-AF clinical trial, and the timing and outcome of the interim data analysis by that trial's Data and

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Safety Monitoring Board, provided that the Reporting Person's continuous service to the Issuer has not been terminated as defined in or as determined under the Plan prior to such time. If the corporate milestones are not achieved, the Option will be cancelled. In the event of a change in control of the Issuer, 50% of the unvested options shall become fully and immediately vested upon the closing date of such change in control, provided, however, that on the earlier of (i) the one-year anniversary of the closing date or (ii) involuntary termination, any options that remain unvested on such earlier date shall become fully and immediately vested.

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