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Form 3 Ho Reported Form 4 Transaction Reported	oldings Section 17(a) of the Pub		ing Company	y Act of a	1935 or Sectio	n			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> STERNBERG HAL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOTIME INC [BTIM]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. State			. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended			(Check all applicable)			
1301 HARBOR BAY PARKWAY			(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008			_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title 0ther (specify below) below) Vice President				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting				
			ed(Month/Day/Year)			(check applicable line)				
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(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-D	erivative Secur	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day/	Code	Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 a	A) or f (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Â Shares, no par value

Common

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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)		vative rities uired or osed O) r. 3,	(Month/Day/Year) ve es d d		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 2	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	(2)	05/31/2009	Common Shares	50,000
Warrants to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 2	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	01/21/2004	10/31/2010	Common Shares	13,431
Warrants to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 2	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/21/2005	10/31/2010	Common Shares	12,500
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 0.32	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	11/24/2006	11/23/2011	Common Shares	80,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STERNBERG HAL 1301 HARBOR BAY PARKWAY ALAMEDA, CA 94502	X	Â	Vice President	Â			
Signatures							
/s/ Hal Sternberg 02/17/20	09						

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) Includes 130,000 shares that Dr. Sternberg may acquire through the exercise of stock options, and 25,931 shares that he may acquire upon the exercise of certain warrants.
- (2) 12,500 options became exercisable on June 1, 2004 and the remaining 37,500 options became exercisable in three equal yearly installments.

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