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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Meisner Derek M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

GENOCEA BIOSCIENCES, INC.

(Check all applicable)

SENIOR VP AND GENERAL COUNSEL

[GNCA]

02/07/2019

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

C/O GENOCEA BIOSCIENCES. INC., 100 ACORN PARK DRIVE, 5TH FLOOR

(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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02140

(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)

(Middle)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.54	02/07/2019		A	200,000	<u>(1)</u>	02/07/2029	Common Stock	200,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Meisner Derek M C/O GENOCEA BIOSCIENCES, INC. 100 ACORN PARK DRIVE, 5TH FLOOR CAMBRIDGE, MA 02140

SENIOR VP AND GENERAL COUNSEL

Signatures

/S/ Derek M.

Meisner 02/11/2019

**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).

The Stock Option will vest as to 1/4th of the shares subject to the option on the first anniversary of the Grant Date and thereafter as to

(1) 1/36th of the shares on each subsequent monthly anniversary of February 7, 2020 (rounded down to the nearest whole share, except for the final vesting period, with respect to which all remaining shares will vest).

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