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FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940							
[] Check this box if no longer subject of Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).							
[] Form 3 Holdings Reported							
[] Form 4 Transactions Reported							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*							
	ickel Jeffrey		В.				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)					
13180 Via Ranchero Drive							
(Street)							
Saratoga	CA	95070					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol							
BioTime, Inc. (BTX)							
3. IRS Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an Entity (Voluntary)							
4. Statement for Month/Year							
3/02							
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)							

6. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer

(Check all applicable) [X] Director [] 10% Owner [] Officer (give title below) [] Other (specify below) ______ 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) [X] Form filed by One Reporting Person [] Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned ______ 4. Security Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 2. 3. 1. Transaction Transaction (A) Amount or Price Title of Security Date Code (mm/dd/yy) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3) (D) Common Shares, no par value

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction $4\,\mbox{(b)}\,\mbox{(v)}\,\mbox{.}$

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2.

Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security		3. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/		Number Derivat Securit Acquire or Disp of (D) (Instr	tive ties ed (A) posed	Expirati (Month/D	on Date Day/Year) Expira-	7. Title and of Underl Securitie (Instr. 3	ying s and 4)
(Instr. 3)		Year)	8)	(A)	(D)		Date	Title	Shares
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$7.25					3/26/01	3/25/06	Common Shares	10,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$11.50					3/31/00	3/30/05	Common Shares	10,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$12.57					4/29/99	4/28/04	Common Shares	10,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares						4/2/99	4/1/02	Common Shares	15,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$3.00	3/25/02	А	20,000		++	3/30/07	Common Shares	20,000
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Explanation of Responses:

- + Includes 65,000 shares that Mr. Nickel may acquire through the exercise of stock options.
- ++ 12,500 options became execisable on the date of grant and the remaining 7,500 will become exercisable in 9 equal monthly installments based upon continued service on the board of directors.

s/Jeffrey B. Nickel

April 9, 2002

**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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