

Poole Jonathan
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Poole Jonathan

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02140

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
GENOCEA BIOSCIENCES, INC.
[GNCA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/24/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

6. 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

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 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	07/24/2017		M ⁽¹⁾	45,000	A \$ 3.09	84,247	D
Common Stock	07/24/2017		S ⁽¹⁾	45,000	D \$ 6 (2)	39,247	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)

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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.09	07/24/2017		M ⁽¹⁾	45,000	⁽³⁾ 02/01/2026	Common Stock	45,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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100 ACORN PARK DRIVE, 5TH FLOOR
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02140

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan Poole 07/24/2017

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) The reported transactions were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted on May 10, 2017 by the reporting person.
These shares were sold in multiple transactions at a price of \$6.00. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Company, any
- (2) security holder of the Company or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold.
- (3) The option was granted on 2/2/2016 and vests in 48 equal monthly installments beginning on the first monthly anniversary of the grant date.

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