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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Horton Amy

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Middle)

CRYOLIFE INC [CRY]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

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

Director X\_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Form: Direct

CRYOLIFE, INC., 1655 ROBERTS

Security

Stock

02/15/2013

below)

below)

Chief Accounting Officer

BLVD., NW

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

4. Securities

TransactionAcquired (A) or

(2)

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

D

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

5. Amount of

Securities

62,223

KENNESAW, GA 30144

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

02/15/2013

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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(Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 6,667 02/15/2013 A A \$0 55,965 D (1) Stock Common 6,258

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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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number Doof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ative Expiration Date s (Month/Day/Year) l		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)	\$ 6.12	02/15/2013		A	6,666	02/15/2014(3)	02/15/2020	Common Stock	6,666

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
·r·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Horton Amy CRYOLIFE, INC. 1655 ROBERTS BLVD., NW KENNESAW, GA 30144			Chief Accounting Officer				

# **Signatures**

/s/ Amy Horton 02/19/2013

\*\*Signature of 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) Represents shares of restricted stock that vest on the third anniversary of the grant date if the reporting person remains in the continuous employ of the Company.
- Represents performance shares granted on March 7, 2012 and earned at 125% of target based on 2012 adjusted EBITDA. The shares will vest 50% on the first anniversary of the grant date, 25% on the second anniversary of the grant date and 25% on the third anniversary of the grant date if the reporting person remains in the continuous employ of the Company.
- (3) Stock option vests 33 1/3% per year beginning on first anniversary of grant date.

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