

BIOTIME INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DRESNER MILTON H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

28777 NORTHWESTERN
HWY, SUITE 100

(Street)

SOUTHFIELD, MI 48304

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BIOTIME INC [BTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/21/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 (A) 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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Shares, no par value					125,614 ⁽¹⁾	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)

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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)	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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 1.26	03/21/2005		A		20,000		(2)	03/30/2010	Common Shares	20,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 2.17							(3)	03/07/2009	Common Shares	20,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 1.55							(4)	03/30/2008	Common Shares	20,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 3							(5)	03/30/2007	Common Shares	20,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 7.25							03/26/2001	03/25/2006	Common Shares	10,000
Option to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 11.5							03/31/2000	03/30/2005	Common Shares	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DRESNER MILTON H 28777 NORTHWESTERN HWY SUITE 100 SOUTHFIELD, MI 48304	X			

Signatures

03/23/2005

**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) Includes 100,000 shares that Mr. Dresner may acquire through the exercise of stock options.
 - (2) 5,000 options become exercisable on March 31, 2005 and the remaining 15,000 will become exercisable in 3 equal quarterly installments based upon continued service on the board of directors.
 - (3) 5,000 options became exercisable on March 31, 2004 and the remaining 15,000 became exercisable in 9 equal monthly installments based upon continued service on the board of directors.
 - (4) 5,000 options became exercisable on March 31, 2003 and the remaining 15,000 became exercisable in 9 equal monthly installments based upon continued service on the board of directors.
 - (5) 12,500 options became exercisable on March 31, 2002 and the remaining 7,500 became exercisable in 9 equal monthly installments based upon continued service on the board of directors.

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