ZOLTOWSKI CAROL

Form 4

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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 * **ZOLTOWSKI CAROL**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

VP, Regulatory Affairs

below)

Issuer

below)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

VIVUS INC [vvus] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

VIVUS, INC, 1172 CASTRO

STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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Person

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94040

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secu

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Shares

(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Sec Ac (A Di of (In	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Secur (Instr.	ities 3 and 4)	(Instr. 5)
			Code V	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ZOLTOWSKI CAROL VIVUS, INC 1172 CASTRO STREET MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94040

VP, Regulatory Affairs

Signatures

Linda

Derboghosian 02/01/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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