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# FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Tardugno Michael H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

Celsion CORP [CLSN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

10220-L OLD COLUMBIA ROAD

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2011

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

below) **CEO** 

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

COLUMBIA, MD 21046-2364

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

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

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 8)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Securiti Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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| (Instr. 3)                      | Price of Derivative Security |            | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |   |         |     |                  |                    |                                           |                |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|------------|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|---|---------|-----|------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------|
|                                 |                              |            |                  | Code                                                            | V | (A)     | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                     | Ar<br>Nu<br>Sh |
| Option to purchase common stock | \$ 2.49                      | 02/25/2011 |                  | A                                                               |   | 180,000 |     | 02/25/2012(1)    | 02/25/2021         | Celsion<br>Corporation<br>Common<br>Stock | 18             |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Tardugno Michael H

10220-L OLD COLUMBIA ROAD CEO

COLUMBIA, MD 21046-2364

## **Signatures**

Timothy J Tumminello, Controller and CAO

03/01/2011

\*\*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) Options to purchase shares of Celsion Corporation Common Stock vest in thirds over three years, with the first vesting date on February 25, 2012 and annually thereafter.
- (2) Closing price of Celsion Corporation Common Stock on date of award.

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