

BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

April 05, 2006

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 *
BENNETT J CLAUDE

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**BIOCRYST PHARMACEUTICALS
INC [BCRX]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2190 PARKWAY LAKE DRIVE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/03/2006

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

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244-

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	M		10,000	A \$ 16.375	43,555 D
Common Stock	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	M		684	A \$ 16.375	44,239 D
Common Stock	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	S		912 ⁽¹⁾	D \$ 18	43,327 D
Common Stock	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	S		3,240 ⁽¹⁾	D \$ 18.01	40,087 D
Common Stock	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	S		1,900 ⁽¹⁾	D \$ 18.02	38,187 D

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Common Stock	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	S	<u>1,912</u> (1)	D	\$ 18.04	36,275	D
Common Stock	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	S	<u>2,036</u> (1)	D	\$ 18.05	34,239	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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option <u>(2)</u>	\$ 16.375	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	M		684		12/31/1997	12/30/2006	Common Stock	684
Stock Option <u>(2)</u>	\$ 16.375	04/03/2006	04/03/2006	M		10,000		12/31/1997	12/30/2006	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BENNETT J CLAUDE 2190 PARKWAY LAKE DRIVE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244-	X		President	

Signatures

Michael
Richardson
04/05/2006
Date

**Signature of
Reporting Person

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).

(2) Options were exercised due to grants expiring by year end

(3) Exercise pursuant to 10b5-1 rule of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(1) Sale of stock is pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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