

CTI BIOPHARMA CORP  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
BIANCO LOUIS A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3101 WESTERN AVE, SUITE 600

(Street)

SEATTLE, WA 98121

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CTI BIOPHARMA CORP [CTIC]

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

09/19/2014

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)

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	09/19/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>	59,740 D	\$ 2.58	733,157	D
Common Stock	09/19/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>	200 D	\$ 2.583	732,957	D
Common Stock	09/19/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>	12,200 D	\$ 2.585	720,757	D
Common Stock	09/19/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>	37,200 D	\$ 2.59	683,557	D
Common Stock	09/19/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>	3,700 D	\$ 2.595	679,857	D

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Common Stock	09/19/2014	S <sup>(1)</sup>	14,300	D	\$ 2.6	665,557	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2014	S <sup>(1)</sup>	2,300	D	\$ 2.61	663,257	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2014	S <sup>(1)</sup>	9,660	D	\$ 2.62	653,597	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2014	S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 2.625	653,497	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2014	S <sup>(1)</sup>	5,600	D	\$ 2.68	647,897	D	
Common Stock						37	I	Trust for children

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V (A) (D)		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

BIANCO LOUIS A  
3101 WESTERN AVE  
SUITE 600  
SEATTLE, WA 98121

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EVP, Finance & Administration

## Signatures

Louis A. Bianco

09/19/2014

\*\*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) The sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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