

CYTOKINETICS INC  
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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 \*  
Sabry James H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CYTOKINETICS INC [CYTK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

280 EAST GRAND AVENUE

09/26/2008

Executive Chairman

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/26/2008		S		396	D	\$ 4.65
Common Stock	09/26/2008		S		2,098	D	\$ 4.66
Common Stock	09/26/2008		S		506	D	\$ 4.68
Common Stock	09/26/2008		S		200	D	\$ 4.69
Common Stock	09/26/2008		S		400	D	\$ 4.7

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Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 4.73	165,850	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	403	D	\$ 4.77	165,447	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	297	D	\$ 4.8	165,150	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 4.81	165,050	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	2,205	D	\$ 4.83	162,845	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	395	D	\$ 4.84	162,450	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	300	D	\$ 4.85	162,150	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	700	D	\$ 4.88	161,450	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 4.89	161,350	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	1,600	D	\$ 4.9	159,750	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	1,700	D	\$ 4.91	158,050	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	800	D	\$ 4.92	157,250	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	600	D	\$ 4.93	156,650	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 4.96	155,650	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	3,600	D	\$ 4.99	152,050	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	2,100	D	\$ 5	149,950	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	300	D	\$ 5.01	149,650	I	by Trust
Common Stock	09/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 4.78	149,550	I	by Trust

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 Number Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.58					09/28/1999 <sup>(1)</sup> 09/28/2009	Common Stock 62,5
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.58					11/14/2000 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/14/2010	Common Stock 172,
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.2					07/10/2002 <sup>(3)</sup> 07/10/2012	Common Stock 83,3
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.2					05/21/2003 <sup>(4)</sup> 05/21/2013	Common Stock 75,0
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.5					04/08/2004 <sup>(5)</sup> 03/08/2014	Common Stock 66,9
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.59					04/11/2005 <sup>(6)</sup> 04/11/2015	Common Stock 15,1
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.81					04/01/2007 <sup>(7)</sup> 03/14/2017	Common Stock 11,0
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.15					03/01/2006 <sup>(8)</sup> 03/01/2016	Common Stock 18,4
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.2					07/10/2002 <sup>(3)</sup> 07/10/2012	Common Stock 161,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.5					04/08/2004 <sup>(5)</sup> 03/08/2014	Common Stock 19,5
	\$ 6.59					04/11/2005 <sup>(6)</sup> 04/11/2015	69,8

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)				Common Stock	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.81	04/01/2007 <sup>(7)</sup>	03/14/2017	Common Stock	88,9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.15	03/01/2006 <sup>(8)</sup>	03/01/2016	Common Stock	131,

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sabry James H 280 EAST GRAND AVENUE SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080	X		Executive Chairman	

## Signatures

James H. Sabry, M.D.,  
Ph.D. 09/30/2008

        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) This option is immediately exercisable upon grant and shall vest as to 15,625 shares on 05/01/99 and the balance of 46,875 divided into equal monthly installments thereafter such that the option shall be 100% vested on 05/01/02.  
When the ISO and NQ dated 11/14/00 are combined for a total grant of 250,000 shares, the option is immediately exercisable upon grant and shall vest as to 4,167 shares on 12/14/00 and the balance of 245,833 divided into equal monthly installments thereafter such that the option shall be 100% vested on 11/14/05.
- (2) When the ISO and NQ dated 07/10/02 are combined for a total grant of 300,000 shares, the option is immediately exercisable upon grant and shall vest as to 5,000 shares on 04/15/02 and the balance of 295,000 divided into equal monthly installments thereafter such that the option shall be 100% vested on 03/15/07.
- (3) This option is immediately exercisable upon grant and shall vest as to 1,563 shares on 04/01/03 and the balance of 73,437 divided into equal monthly installments thereafter such that the option shall be 100% vested on 03/01/07.  
When the ISO and NQ dated 03/08/04 are combined for a total grant of 86,500 shares, the option shall vest and become exercisable as to 1,802 shares on 04/08/04 and the balance of 84,698 divided into equal monthly installments thereafter such that the option shall be 100% vested on 03/08/08.
- (4) When the ISO and NQ dated 04/11/05 are combined for a total grant of 85,000 shares, the option shall vest and become exercisable as to 85,000 shares divided into equal monthly installments such that the option shall be 100% vested on 03/01/2009.  
When the ISO and NQ dated 03/14/2007 are combined for a total grant of 100,000 shares, the option shall vest and become exercisable as to 2,083 shares on 04/01/07 and the balance of 97,917 divided into equal monthly installments thereafter such that the option shall be 100% vested on 03/01/11.
- (5) When the ISO and NQ dated 03/01/2006 are combined for a total grant of 150,000 shares, the option shall vest and become exercisable as to 150,000 shares divided into equal monthly installments such that the option shall be 100% vested on 03/01/2010.

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