FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar McKen	<u>A</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARROWHEAD RESEARCH CORP ARWR									5. Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) X Director			10'		6 Owner				
225 SOUTH LAKE AVENUE SUITE 1050						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/28/2012										below)	give title		Other (s below)	
(Street)			91101		_ 4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									i. Indi ine) X					
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
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Stock Option	\$2.62	09/28/2012			A			10,000	09/2	28/2013 ⁽¹⁾	09	9/28/2022	Common Stock	10,0	00	\$0	53,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Option vests one year from date of grant.

Charles McKenney

10/02/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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