FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Last) (First) (Middle) ARROWHEAD RESEARCH CORPORATION			Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director	10% Owne	r (I	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
201 S. LAKE AVE., SUITE 703			X Officer (give title below)	Other (spec below)	´ 6	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
(Street) PASADENA CA 91101							y More than One	
(City) (State) (Zip)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securiti Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	se Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option	05/16/2010 ⁽¹⁾	11/16/2019	Common Stock	250,000	0.7	D		
Stock Option	04/01/2010 ⁽²⁾	03/04/2020	Common Stock	80,000	0.52	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Vesting of 125,000 shares begins on May 16, 2010, at which time 15,632 shares vest; the balance vests on the first of each month thereafter in equal monthly installments of 2,604 shares. Vesting of the remaining 125,000 shares begins on August 1, 2010, at which time 15,632 shares vest; the balance vests on the first of each month thereafter in equal monthly installments of 2,604 shares.
- 2. Vesting in 24 equal monthly installments beginning on $4/01/10.\,$

Kenneth Allen Myszkowski 04/12/2010

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

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