Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>EDWARDS JEFFREY L</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Clearside Biomedical, Inc. [ CLSD ]							cable) r	g Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow	ner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CLEARSIDE BIOMEDICAL, INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/26/2018							Officer below)	(give title		Other (sp below)	pecify		
900 NORTH POINT PARKWAY, SUITE 200						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)	RETTA GA 30005											X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)		(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Non-D	Perivativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, Di	sposed o	f, or Bei	neficiall	y Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)			ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and	Beneficia	es Form ally (D) of following (I) (II		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		1	msu. 4)		
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/Ye	Code (		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 Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.03	09/26/2018		A		22,500		(1)	09/25/2028	Common Stock	22,500	\$0.00	22,500		D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This option will vest and become exercisable in 36 equal monthly installments through September 26, 2021, subject to the reporting person's continuous service as of such vesting dates.

## Remarks:

/s/ Mark Ballantyne, Attorney-09/28/2018 in-Fact

\*\* 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 4 (b)(v).
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