FORM 4

## **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 ]							telationship ( eck all applic X Directo	able)	g Pers	ion(s) to Issu $10\%$ Ow		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CLEARSIDE BIOMEDICAL, INC. 900 NORTH POINT PARKWAY, SUITE 200					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/20/2019							Officer below)			Other (s below)	pecify	
(Street) ALPHARETTA GA 30005  (City) (State) (Zip)			30005	4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Indi-Line)  X												
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
Date				. Transacti vate Month/Day	Execution Dat			r, Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		Beneficia Owned F Reported	s ally ollowing I	Form (D) or	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) and 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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	saction e (Instr.			6. Date Exercisable at 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 of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$1.07	06/20/2019		A		20,000		(1)	06/19/2029	Common Stock	20,000	\$0.00	20,000	)	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares underlying this option vest in full on the earlier of the Issuer's next annual meeting of stockholders or June 20, 2020.

## Remarks:

/s/ Brian F. Leaf, Attorney-in-06/24/2019

<u>Fact</u>

\*\* 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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