FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	Name and Address of Reporting Person*  ibney Anthony S  ast) (First) (Middle)					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Clearside Biomedical, Inc. [ CLSD ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2024							eck all applic  X Directo	able)	Person(s) to Iss 10% O Other ( below)	vner
C/O CLEARSIDE BIOMEDICAL, INC. 900 NORTH POINT PARKWAY, SUITE 200				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(S		(Zip)			Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.								d to		
Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				saction	action 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		quired, Disposed of, or Benefic  3.			ed (A) or	r 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Ownership (Instr. 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	e (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	ate,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount 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)	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)	\$1.29	04/15/2024			A		45,000		(1)	04/15/2034	Common Stock	45,000	\$0	45,000	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The shares underlying such option will vest in 36 equal monthly installments on the last day of each month commencing on April 30, 2024, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service through each vesting date

> /s/ Mark Ballantyne, Attorneyin-Fact

04/16/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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