Cysewski Gerald R Form 4 April 09, 2018

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cysewski Gerald R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CYANOTECH CORP [CYAN]

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

04/05/2018

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title below)

__ Other (specify below) **CSO**

73-4460 QUEEN KAAHUMANU HWY #102

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

KAILUA-KONA, HI 96740

(City)	(State) (Z	ip) Table	I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ies Acqı	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Cyanotech common stock	04/05/2018		M <u>(6)</u>	167	A	\$0	121,022	D	
Cyanotech common stock	04/05/2018		F(5)	63	D	\$ 5.25	120,959	D	
Cyanotech common stock							250	I	Held by spouse

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

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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/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ionof Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted stock units	(1)	04/05/2018		M		167	(2)	(2)	Cyanotech common stock	167
Restricted stock units	(1)						(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Cyanotech common stock	16,667
Cyanotech common stock options	\$ 2.08						<u>(4)</u>	04/29/2019	Cyanotech common stock	10,000
Cyanotech common stock options	\$ 3.58						<u>(4)</u>	06/30/2021	Cyanotech common stock	12,000
Cyanotech common stock options	\$ 3.82						<u>(4)</u>	08/27/2021	Cyanotech common stock	103,000
Cyanotech common stock options	\$ 5.84						<u>(4)</u>	07/18/2022	Cyanotech common stock	12,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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Signatures

/s/ Dan Sprague, by Power of Attorney 04/09/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents the contingent right to receive one (1) share of Cyanotech common stock.
- (2) The restricted stock units shall vest as to 167 shares on April 5, 2018, 167 shares on April 5, 2019 and 166 shares on April 5, 2020, in each case subject to the reporting person's continued service with Cyanotech on the vesting date.
- (3) The restricted stock units shall vest as to 8,333 on March 31, 2019 and 8,334 on March 31, 2020, in each case subject to the reporting person's continued service with Cyanotech on the vesting date.
- (4) Fully exercisable
- The reporting person is reporting the withholding by the issuer of 63 shares of common stock that vested on April 5, 2018 pursuant to the
- (5) April 5, 2017 RSU grant, but that were not issued in order to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations in connection with the delivery of the converted common stock to the reporting person as of April 6, 2018.
- (6) Represents the conversion upon vesting of restricted stock units into common stock.

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