

BAROCAS JEFFREY
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BAROCAS JEFFREY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
OCEAN BIO CHEM INC [OBCI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
4041 S.W. 47 AVENUE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/17/2012

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

(Street)
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33314

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/17/2012		M ⁽¹⁾		15,000	A	\$ 1.32
Common Stock	12/17/2012		D		5,403	D	\$ 2.37

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.32	12/17/2012		M	15,000	<u>(2)</u> 12/17/2012	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BAROCAS JEFFREY 4041 S.W. 47 AVENUE FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33314		X	Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey
Barocas
12/18/2012
Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- The reporting person exercised an option to purchase 15,000 shares, of which 5,300 shares were exercised with cash and the remaining
- (1) 9,700 shares were exercised by a cashless net exercise in which 4,297 shares were acquired. The total shares acquired by the reporting person through the cash exercise and the cashless net exercise are 9,597.
 - (2) The option vested in five equal installments on December 17, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012.

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