

BIODELIVERY SCIENCES INTERNATIONAL INC  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 Vasisht Niraj

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BIODELIVERY SCIENCES  
 INTL, INC., 4131 PARKLAKE  
 AVE. SUITE 225

(Street)

RALEIGH, NC 27612

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BIODELIVERY SCIENCES  
 INTERNATIONAL INC [BDSI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/29/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Chief Technology Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | (A) or (D)                     | Code V  | Amount  | Price  |                                   |

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)**

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| 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) |              |                      |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title        | Amount Number Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | \$ 0   | 02/29/2016                           |  | A <sup>(1)</sup>               | 150,000   | <sup>(1)</sup>   | 03/01/2019  | Common Stock | 150,000              |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                          |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                  | Other |
| Vasisht Niraj<br>C/O BIODELIVERY SCIENCES INTL, INC.,<br>4131 PARKLAKE AVE. SUITE 225<br>RALEIGH, NC 27612 |               |           | Chief Technology Officer |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Niraj Vasisht 03/02/2016

\_\_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).

The RSUs were issued to the Reporting Person on February 29, 2016, pursuant to a grant under the Issuer's Equity Incentive Plan.

(1) One-third of the RSUs will vest on each of (i) March 1, 2017, (ii) March 1, 2018 and (iii) March 1, 2019. Upon vesting, each RSU entitles the Reporting Person to one share of the Issuer's common stock.

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