

CARACCILO ANTHONY
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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 *
CARACCILO ANTHONY

(Last) (First) (Middle)
650 CLIFFSIDE DRIVE
(Street)

SAN DIMAS, CA 91773

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GILEAD SCIENCES INC [GILD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/22/2005

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)
SVP, Manufacturing

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	11/22/2005		M		7,776 A \$ 7.3985	7,776	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005		M		2,512 A \$ 7.3985	10,288	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005		M		27,000 A \$ 17.1625	37,288	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005		M		39,000 A \$ 16.4375	76,288	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005		M		18,000 A \$ 15.56	94,288	D

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Common Stock	11/22/2005	M	36,602	A	\$ 17.885	130,890	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	3,001	D	\$ 54.2	127,889	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	900	D	\$ 54.19	126,989	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	8,128	D	\$ 54.18	118,861	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	3,572	D	\$ 54.17	115,289	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	4,173	D	\$ 54.16	111,116	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	6,018	D	\$ 54.14	105,098	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	1,042	D	\$ 54.12	104,056	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	14,438	D	\$ 54.15	89,618	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	4,616	D	\$ 54.13	85,002	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	6,769	D	\$ 54.11	78,233	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	2,055	D	\$ 54.1	76,178	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	13,346	D	\$ 54.09	62,832	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	400	D	\$ 54.04	62,432	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	5,423	D	\$ 54.08	57,009	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	2,540	D	\$ 54.07	54,469	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	2,648	D	\$ 54.06	51,821	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	3,568	D	\$ 54.05	48,252	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	1,007	D	\$ 54.03	47,246	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	3,652	D	\$ 54.02	43,594	D
	11/22/2005	S	675	D	\$ 54.01	42,919	D

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Common
Stock

Common Stock 11/22/2005 S 42,919 D \$ 54 0 D

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.3985	11/22/2005		M	7,776	01/18/2002 ⁽¹⁾ 01/17/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.3985	11/22/2005		M	2,512	01/18/2002 ⁽¹⁾ 01/17/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.1625	11/22/2005		M	27,000	10/25/2002 ⁽¹⁾ 10/24/2011	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.4375	11/22/2005		M	39,000	01/30/2003 ⁽¹⁾ 01/29/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.56	11/22/2005		M	18,000	05/01/2003 ⁽¹⁾ 04/30/2012	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.885	11/22/2005		M	36,602	01/29/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 01/28/2013	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CARACCILO ANTHONY 650 CLIFFSIDE DRIVE SAN DIMAS, CA 91773			SVP, Manufacturing	

Signatures

/s/ Anthony
Caracciolo 11/23/2005

 Signature of Date
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).

(1) Options vest 20% on the first anniversary date of the grant and the balance vested quarterly for the next 48 months thereafter.

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