

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Adreveno Linda A</u>	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 10/14/2015	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MANNKIND CORP [ MNKD ]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director _____ 10% Owner _____ Officer (give title below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <u>Sr VP, HR</u>	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)
(Last) (First) (Middle) <u>28903 NORTH AVENUE PAINE</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(Street) <u>VALENCIA CA 91355</u>			
(City) (State) (Zip)			

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	22,500 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value	20,700 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

## Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	05/21/2016 <sup>(3)</sup>	03/30/2025	Common Stock	35,000	4.63	D
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	08/27/2016 <sup>(3)</sup>	08/26/2025	Common Stock	31,100	3.91	D

## Explanation of Responses:

- Acquired pursuant to a Restricted Stock Award: 4-year vesting schedule: 25% annually on anniversary of grant date 5/21/15 and 25% annually thereafter being fully vested 5/21/19.
- Acquired pursuant to a Restricted Stock Award: 4-year vesting schedule: 25% annually on anniversary of grant date 8/27/15 and 25% annually thereafter being fully vested 8/27/19.
- 4-year vesting schedule with 1/4th of shares vesting on the first anniversary of the vesting determination date and thereafter 1/48th monthly.

## Remarks:

/s/ Linda A. Adreveno10/14/2015

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

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