## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington,	D.C.	20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Chardonnet Laurent</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  INCYTE CORP [ INCY ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title V Other (specify					
	XPERIMENTAL STATION					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2010							below)  Vice President and Treasurer					
ROUTE 141 & HENRY CLAY ROAD					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street) WILMINGTON DE 19880											Lin	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)										Persor					
		Tab	le I - Non-D	Derivat	ive Se	curities	s Ac	quired, D	ispose	d o	f, or Bei	neficial	ly Owned					
Date			Transact ate Ionth/Day	Execution Date,		Code (Ins				Beneficia Owned F	s ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code V	Amo	unt	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
		-	Table II - De (e.					uired, Dis s, options					Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Ye	Cod	saction e (Instr.	of		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	te dear) l		d Amount les g Security ld 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactie (Instr. 4)	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expirati Date	ion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.41	01/21/2010		A		14,594		(1)	01/20/20	017	Common Stock	14,594	\$0	14,59	4	D		
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to	\$9.41	01/21/2010		A		19,406		(1)	01/20/20	017	Common Stock	19,406	\$0	19,40	6	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Option begins vesting on grant date in 25 installments, the first 33.33% vesting on the one year anniversary of the grant date and the remaining 66.67% vesting in equal monthly installments during the two year period thereafter. Vesting may be accelerated and exercise term may be extended upon occurence of certain events.

<u>/s/ Laurent Chardonnet</u> <u>01/25/2010</u>

\*\* 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 4 (b)(v).
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