FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT (OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* DESOUZA ERROL B					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CATALYST BIOSCIENCES, INC. [CBIO]									all applic	*		10% Ov	vner	
(Last) 215 COL	`	(First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/22/2015								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify
(Street) PARAM (City)			07652 (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 10/26/2015								Indivi ne) X	,				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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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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					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$4.4	10/22/2015			A		6,750		(1)(2)	1	0/22/2025	Common Stock	6,750	\$	0.00	6,750		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Award vests monthly over three (3) years starting September 1, 2015.
- 2. The option grant was approved by Issuer's board of directors on October 22, 2015, subject to stockholder approval of an amendment of the Issuer's 2015 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan") under which the option was granted. Issuer's stockholders approved the amendment to the Plan on December 14, 2015.

Remarks:

/s/ Nassim Usman Attorney-in-12/14/2015 Fact for Errol B. DeSouza

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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