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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BARKAS ALEXANDER E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

TERCICA INC [TRCA]

(Check all applicable)

C/O PROSPECT VENTURE

(First)

SUITE 200

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2008

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

PARTNERS, 435 TASSO ST.

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

PALO ALTO, CA 94301

(City)	(State) (Zip) Tabl	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. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	05/20/2008		Code V A	Amount 6,666 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 6,666	D			
Common Stock							3,017,588	I	Prospect Venture Partners II, L.P. (2)		
Common Stock							45,952	I	Prospect Associates II, L.P. (2)		

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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	ercisable Expiration Date	Title 3
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.19	05/20/2008		A	26,668	05/20/2008(3)	05/20/2018	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BARKAS ALEXANDER E C/O PROSPECT VENTURE PARTNERS 435 TASSO ST. SUITE 200 PALO ALTO, CA 94301



Signatures

/s/ Dave Markland, Attorney-in-Fact

05/21/2008

**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).
- (1) Represents Restricted Stock Units (RSUs); 100% of the RSUs vest on 5/20/2009.
- Alexander Barkas is a managing member of Prospect Management Co. II, LLC, the General Partner of Prospect Venture Partners II, L.P. (2) and Prospect Associates II, L.P., and, together with the other managing members of Prospect Management Co. II, LLC, holds voting and dispositive power for the shares held of record by the stockholders listed above.
- Pursuant to an early exercise provision, the option is exercisable on 5/20/2008 and is subject to repurchase rights in favor of the Issuer that lapse upon the vesting of the shares subject to the option. 100% of the shares subject to the option vest on 5/20/2009.

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