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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

KRESA KENT

Symbol MANNKIND CORP [MNKD]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director 10% Owner

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

28903 NORTH AVENUE PAINE

(Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2008

Other (specify Officer (give title below)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

> _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Owned

VALENCIA, CA 91355

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. Securities

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial

(Instr. 4)

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

> Following Reported Transaction(s)

(A) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount 4. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Securiti Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

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Derivative or Disposed of Security (D)

(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Title

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Employee

 Stock
 Option
 \$ 2.98
 05/22/2008
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 10,000
 06/22/2008(1)
 05/22/2018
 Common Stock

(right to buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KRESA KENT 28903 NORTH AVENUE PAINE X VALENCIA, CA 91355

Signatures

Reporting Person

/s/ Kent Kresa 07/30/2008

**Signature of 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) 3-year vesting period; 1/36th vesting every month, being fully vested 05/22/2011.

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