

SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 ZANTE GREG

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC., STE 100-A, POINT RICHMOND TECH CNTR, 501 CANAL BL

(Street)

RICHMOND, CA 94804

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC [SGMO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/20/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Sr. Director Finance & Admin

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Amount	Price	
			Code	V			

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)

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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	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.19	12/20/2004		A	20,000	<u>(1)</u>	12/19/2014	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ZANTE GREG C/O SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC., STE 100-A POINT RICHMOND TECH CNTR, 501 CANAL BL RICHMOND, CA 94804			Sr. Director Finance & Admin	

Signatures

/s/ Greg Zante 12/20/2004

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Option is immediately exercisable, subject to repurchase of the option shares by the Issuer at the exercise price prior to full vesting. The (1) repurchase right lapses, and the options vest, as follows: (i) 25% of the option shares on August 19, 2005, and (ii) the remaining shares vest in a series of successive monthly installments over the remaining 36 months thereafter.

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