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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549									3235-0287	
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Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940										
(Print or Type Resp	oonses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CLARKE JOHN K			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Verastem, Inc. [VSTM]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				(Che	eck all applicabl	e)	
C/O VERASTEM, INC., 215 FIRST STREET, SUITE 440			(Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2012				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
(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 				
CAMBRIDGE	, MA 02142						Person		eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-I	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
	Transaction Date onth/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Reminder: Report	on a separate line	for each cla	ass of sec	urities benet	ficially ow	ned 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	D
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	S

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Ye	ar) (Instr. 8	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of					(
			Code V	V (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.1	03/06/2012	А	12,500		<u>(1)</u>	03/05/2022	Common Stock	12,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address								
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CLARKE JOHN K C/O VERASTEM, INC. 215 FIRST STREET, SUITE 440 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142	Х							
Signatures								
/s/ Paul Brannelly, as attorney-in-fact	0	3/08/2012						
**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) This option will vest in twelve equal monthly installments from March 6, 2012 until March 6, 2013.

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