# SEC Form 4

Instruction 1(b).

# FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940					
I. Nume and Address of Reporting reison			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NeoStem, Inc.</u> [ NBS ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) C/O NEOSTEM 420 LEXINGTC	(First) , INC. N AVENUE, SUI'	(Middle) TE 350	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2014	X	Officer (give title below) Chief Accountin	Other (specify below) ng Officer		
(Street) NEW YORK (City)	NY (State)	10170 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	ridual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person	porting Person		

### 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. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11311.4)
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value <sup>(1)</sup>	12/31/2014		A <sup>(1)</sup>		710	Α	\$3.2045	8,339	D	

### 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. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (right to purchase) <sup>(2)</sup>	\$3.73	01/02/2015		A <sup>(2)</sup>		30,000		(2)	01/01/2025	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	30,000	\$0	30,000	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares purchased pursuant to NeoStem, Inc.'s 2012 Employee Stock Purchase Plan for the period ended December 31, 2014.

2. On January 2, 2015 (the "Grant Date"), the Reporting Person was granted an option under the Company's 2009 Equity Compensation Plan (the "Plan") to purchase shares of the Issuer's common stock, subject to all of the terms and conditions of the Plan. This option vests as follows: as to 25% of the shares on the Grant Date, and as to the remaining 75% of the shares in increments of 25% upon the achievement of certain specified business milestones.

Joseph Talamo By: /s/ Catherine M. Vaczy, Esq., Attorney-in-Fact

01/02/2015

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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).

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