

NICHOL GEOFFREY

Form 4

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
NICHOL GEOFFREY

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES  
INC., PT. RICHMOND TECH  
CNTR, 501 CANAL BLVD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/06/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
Executive Vice President, R&D

RICHMOND, CA 94804

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  
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                    | V                                                                          | Amount                                                                                                             | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                     | Price                                                             |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 12/06/2012                              |                                                             | A <sup>(1)</sup>                        |                                                                            | 55,000                                                                                                             | A                                                                    | \$ 0                                                              |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                         |                                                                            | 130,000                                                                                                            | D                                                                    |                                                                   |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and<br>5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                     |                                                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code V (A) (D)                          |                                                                                                           | Date<br>Exercisable<br>Expiration<br>Date                      | Title<br>Amount<br>Number<br>Shares                                 |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)    | \$ 5.41                                                               | 12/06/2012                              |                                                             | A                                       | 110,000                                                                                                   | (2) 12/05/2022                                                 | Common<br>Stock 110,000                                             |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                                  | Relationships                    |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                                                                 | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| NICHOL GEOFFREY<br>C/O SANGAMO BIOSCIENCES INC.<br>PT. RICHMOND TECH CNTR, 501 CANAL BLVD<br>RICHMOND, CA 94804 | Executive Vice President, R&D    |

## Signatures

/s/ Florence Tam,  
attorney-in-fact 12/06/2012

\_\_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) Shares subject to Restricted Stock Units, which will vest in a series of three successive equal annual installments upon the Reporting Person's completion of each year of service over the three year period from the grant date.  
The stock option vests and becomes exercisable for 25% of the shares upon the optionee's completion of one year of service measured from the grant date and vest and become exercisable for the balance of the shares in 36 successive equal monthly installments upon his completion of each additional month of service thereafter.
- (2)

### Remarks:

Exhibit list: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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