#### TARGETED GENETICS CORP/WA/

Form 4

September 11, 2009

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* MARXE AUSTIN W &

GREENHOUSE DAVID M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

TARGETED GENETICS CORP

/WA/ [TGEN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/09/2009

Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

C/O SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUNDS, 527 MADISON AVENUE,

**SUITE 2600** 

(City)

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

(Street)

(State)

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

NEW YORK, NY 10022

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

09/09/2009

(Zip)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

100,000

60,000

(1)

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

5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct (D)

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

D

or (D) Price Amount

0.5006

(Instr. 3 and 4) 2,255,481

Transaction(s)

Reported

By Limited

**Partnerships** 

Common 09/09/2009 Stock

S

Code V

S

D

2,195,481 0.5261 (1)

By Limited  $I^{(1)}$ **Partnerships** (1)

or Indirect

(Instr. 4)

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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.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					4, and 5)							
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								Date		of		
					Code V	(A) (D)		Shares				
					Code V	(A) $(D)$				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MARXE AUSTIN W & GREENHOUSE DAVID M C/O SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUNDS 527 MADISON AVENUE, SUITE 2600 NEW YORK, NY 10022

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## **Signatures**

Austin W.

Marxe 09/11/2009

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

David M.

Greenhouse 09/11/2009

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

# **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).

This is a joint filing by Austin W. Marxe (Marxe) and David M. Greenhouse (Greenhouse). They share voting and investment control over all securities owned by Special Situations Fund III QP, L.P (SSFQP) and Special Situations Life Sciences Fund, L.P. (LS),

(1) respectively. 1,654,234 shares of Common Stock are owned by SSFQP and 541,247 shares of Common Stock are owned by LS. The interest of Marxe and Greenhouse in the shares of Common Stock owned by SSFQP and LS is limited to the extent of his pecuniary interest.

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