NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC

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FORM 4

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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HAWRAN PAUL W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES

INC [NBIX]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2006

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

Executive VP and CFO

NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES, INC., 12790 EL CAMINO REAL

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			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)			
Common Stock	05/17/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	2,598	D	\$ 19.93	244,883	D		
Common Stock	05/17/2006		S(1)	3,500	D	\$ 19.85	241,383	D		
Common Stock	05/17/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	2,949	D	\$ 19.86	238,434	D		
Common Stock	05/17/2006		S(1)	500	D	\$ 19.87	237,934	D		
Common Stock	05/17/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	78	D	\$ 19.89	237,856	D		

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Common Stock	05/17/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 19.88	237,656	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S(1)	3,273	D	\$ 19.9	234,383	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S(1)	1,400	D	\$ 20.5	232,983	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S(1)	300	D	\$ 20.6	232,683	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S(1)	2,461	D	\$ 20.1	230,222	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S(1)	200	D	\$ 20.11	230,022	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	48	D	\$ 20.14	229,974	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S(1)	830	D	\$ 20.12	229,144	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S(1)	1,000	D	\$ 20.14	228,144	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	31,144	D	\$ 19.68	197,000	I	By Limited Liability Company
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	5,000	D	\$ 19.66	192,000	I	By Limited Liability Company
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	22,500	D	\$ 19.7	169,500	I	By Limited Liability Company
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	20,000	D	\$ 19.8	149,500	I	By Limited Liability Company
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	7,500	D	\$ 19.85	142,000	I	By Limited Liability Company
Common Stock	05/17/2006	S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 19.97	132,000	I	By Limited Liability Company

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number of			
				C + V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

HAWRAN PAUL W NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES, INC. 12790 EL CAMINO REAL SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

Executive VP and CFO

Signatures

Margaret E. Valeur-Jensen, By Power of 05/18/2006 Attorney

> **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) The shares were sold by the Reporting Person's broker following a margin call, without instruction by the Reporting Person Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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