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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| (Print or Type Responses) | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ARMISTICE CAPITAL, LLC | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) | | | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VICAL INC [VICL] | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 510 MADISON AVENUE, 22ND FLOOR | 01/22/2 | —01/22/2018 — | | 4. Relationship of Issuer (Check Director | f Reporting Person all applicable) X 10% Own | Filed(Mon | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | |
| (Street) NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | | | Officer (give tit | le Other (spe | Applicable Form fi | Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | | Table I | - Non-Derivat | tive Securities | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 4) | | 2. Amount of Se Beneficially Ow (Instr. 4) | | ecurities ned | 3. Ownership | Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | | |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 par value | 2,200,000 | | ,200,000 | | D (1) | | | |
| ommon Stock, \$0.01 par value 2,200,000 | | | I | See Footnote (2) | | | | |
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| Reminder: Report on a separate line for each clas Persons who responses the form dis Table II - Derivati | nd to the c plays a cur | ollection rently va | of information | on contained in t trol number. | | · | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | and Expirati | . Date Exercisable 3. Title and | | Amount of nderlying Derivativ | Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | |
| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title Amour Shares | nt or Number of | Security (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | | | |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | Relationships | | | | |
|--|--|---------------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| ARMISTICE CAPITAL, LLC 510 MADISON AVENUE, 22ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | | | |
| Armistice Capital Master Fund Ltd. 510 MADISON AVENUE, 22ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | | | |
| Boyd Steven 510 MADISON AVENUE, 22ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | | | |

Signatures

| Armistice Capital, LLC By: Steven Boyd, Managing Member | | 01/26/2018 |
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| **Signature of Reporting Person | | Date |
| Armistice Capital Master Fund, Ltd. By: Steven Boyd, Director | | 01/26/2018 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | | Date |
| By: Steven Boyd | | 01/26/2018 |
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| Signature of Reporting Person | 1 |
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Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 reported securities are directly owned by Armistice Capital Master Fund, Ltd.
 - The reported securities are directly owned by Armistice Capital Master Fund, Ltd., a Cayman Islands corporation, and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by Armistice Capital, LLC, as the investment manager of Armistice Capital Master Fund, Ltd. The reported securities may also be deemed to be indirectly beneficially
- (2) owned by Steven Boyd as Managing Member of Armistice Capital, LLC and Director of Armistice Capital Master Fund, Ltd. Armistice Capital, LLC and Steven Boyd disclaim beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that either of them are the beneficial owners of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

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