## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)																			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MARXE AUSTIN W & GREENHOUSE DAVID M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VICAL INC [VICL]						-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director Z 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)									
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUNDS, 527 MADISON AVENUE, SUITE 2600						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/12/2009															
NEW YORK, NY 10022				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person								
(City)	)	(State)		(Zip)		Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui							cqui	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
(Instr. 3) Date		Date	n/Day/Year)	Execut any	A. Deemed Execution Date, if ny Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of (D)		Be:	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect		Beneficial Ownership				
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Common	Stock		06/12	/2009				S			5,000 (1)	D	\$ 3	4,5	545,965	<u>(1)</u>		I (1)	]		mited erships
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### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	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		X					

#### **Signatures**

Austin W. Marxe	06/16/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

David M. Greenhouse	06/16/2009
**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).

  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 (QP), Special Situations Cayman Fund, L.P. (Cayman), Special Situations Private Equity Fund, LP (PE) and Special Situations Life Sciences

  (1) Fund, L.P. (LS). 2,465,074 shares of Common Stock are owned by QP, 749,821 shares of Common Stock are owned by Cayman, 157,230 shares of Common Stock are owned by PE and 1,173,840 shares of Common Stock are owned by LS. The interest of Marxe and Greenhouse in the shares of Common Stock owned by QP, Cayman, PE and LS are limited to the extent of his pecuniary interest.

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