FORM 4

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Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- LYONS GARY A				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VICAL INC [VICL]							X Dir	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director10% Owner					
10390 PACIF	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transact 05/21/2009				ction (n (Month/Day/Year)				Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)							
(Street) SAN DIEGO, CA 92121			2	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							_X_ Form	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)	(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 Da any (Month/Day/		if Coo	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Owned Following Transaction(s)		curities Beneficially g Reported		Ownership Form:	Beneficial	
				(Wonth/)	Day/ 1 са		Code	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price	0		r Indirect	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stoo	ck		05/21/2009				A		12,500	A	\$ 0.0 (1)	12,500)		I)	
			Table II	- Derivati				curre	ntly val	id OMB of	contro	ol number		the form	aispiays a		
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				Code	V (A)		oate xercisat	ole	Expiration Date	on ,	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Nonstatutory Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.25	05/21/2009		A	37	,500	0	5/21/2	010(2)	05/20/2		Common Stock, \$.01 par value	37,500	\$ 0	37,500	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LYONS GARY A 10390 PACIFIC CENTER COURT SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	X					

Signatures

Lynne M. Goldacker (via Power of Attorney)	05/28/2009		
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).
- ($\bf{1}$) Shares were acquired pursuant to a restricted stock grant.
- (2) The date in this field is approximate. These options are exercisable at the date of the next annual meeting of stockholders. The date of the meeting has not been set, but is expected to occur in May 2010.

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