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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SAMANT VIJAY B				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VICAL INC [VICL]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 10390 PACIFIC CENTER COURT				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2017					X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President & CEO					
(Street) SAN DIEGO, CA 92121			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 Person						
(City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu					lired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y			Date, if	if Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Reported Transaction(s)		Ownership Form:	Beneficial		
			(Month/Da	ay/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	`		Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock \$.01 j	par 02/	01/2017			S <sup>(1)</sup>		3,750	D	\$ 2.1569	59 87,420 <sup>(3)</sup>			D	
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	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SAMANT VIJAY B 10390 PACIFIC CENTER COURT SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	X		President & CEO			

# **Signatures**

Sandy Medina (via Power of Attorney)	02/03/2017
**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) Sale of 3,750 shares of common stock to cover withholding taxes on restricted stock units released. The sale was affected by a broker pursuant to instructions set forth in a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the Reporting Person and delivered to the broker on June 13, 2016.
- (2) Represents a weighted average sales price per share. The prices actually received ranged from \$2.10 to \$2.19. The Reporting Person has provided to the issuer, and will provide to any security holder of the issuer or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (3) This balance includes 15,000 unvested shares subject to restricted stock units.

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