CURIS INC Form 4 December 21, 2015

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 * PASSERI DANIEL R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CURIS INC [CRIS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
4 MAGUIRE	ROAD		(Month/Day/Year) 12/18/2015	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		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		
LEXINGTON, MA 02421				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-D	Derivative S	ecuriti	es Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common	12/18/2015		Code V	Amount 189,000	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4) 387,898	D	
stock	12/10/2015		171	107,000	2.1	1.57	307,070	D	
Common stock	12/18/2015		S	189,000	D	\$ 3.05 (1)	198,898	D	
Common stock	12/21/2015		M	100,000	A	\$ 1.57	298,898	D	
Common stock	12/21/2015		S	100,000	D	\$ 2.87 (2)	198,898	D	

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)

I S	. Title of Derivative ecurity Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and		orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and		stionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securi
					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Shar								
S	Employee tock option	\$ 1.57	12/18/2015		M		189,000	05/31/2010(3)	05/31/2016	Common stock	189								
S	Employee tock option	\$ 1.57	12/21/2015		M		100,000	05/31/2010(3)	05/31/2016	Common stock	100								

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PASSERI DANIEL R 4 MAGUIRE ROAD LEXINGTON, MA 02421	X							

Signatures

/s/ Michael P. Gray, attorney-in-fact 12/21/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person D

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) These shares were sold between \$2.94-\$3.18/share pursuant to an effective 10b5-1 plan. The Company will provide, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) These shares were sold between \$2.87-\$3.03/share pursuant to an effective 10b5-1 plan. The Company will provide, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Options vested over a four-year period and became fully vested on May 31, 2010.

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