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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 3)\*

Genocea Biosciences, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

372427104

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2017

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- [X] Rule 13d 1(b)
- [ ] Rule 13d 1(c)
- [ ] Rule 13d 1(d)

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's

initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and

for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed

to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of

1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the  $\operatorname{Act}$ 

but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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	1.	NAME	ES OF REPORTING PERSONS.				
		Fran	klin Resources, Inc.				
	2.	CHEC	CK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF	A MEMBER	OF A GROUE	2	
		(a) (b)	X				
	3.	SEC	USE ONLY				
	4.	CITI	IZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGA	NIZATION			
		Dela	ware				
	NUMBE:	R OF	SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNE	D BY EACH	REPORTING	PERSON	WITH:

5.

SOLE VOTING POWER

		(See Item 4)
	6.	SHARED VOTING POWER
		(See Item 4)
	7.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		(See Item 4)
	8.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		(See Item 4)
9.	AGGRE(	GATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
	0	
10.	CHECK	IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES
	CERTA	IN SHARES [ ]
11.	PERCEI	NT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
	0.0%	

### 12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

HC, CO (See Item 4)

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	1.	NAMI	ES OF REPORTING	PERSONS.				
		Char	les B. Johnson					
	2.	CHE	CK THE APPROPRIA	TE BOX IF A	MEMBER	OF A GROUE	)	
		(a) (b)	X					
	3.	SEC	USE ONLY					
	4.	CIT	IZENSHIP OR PLAC	E OF ORGANI	ZATION			
		USA						
	NUMBI	ER OF	SHARES BENEFICI	ALLY OWNED	BY EACH	REPORTING	PERSON	WITH:

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

		(See Item 4)
	6.	SHARED VOTING POWER
		(See Item 4)
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		IN SHARES [ ]
11.	PERCE	NT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
	0.0%	

### 12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

HC, IN (See Item 4)

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	1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS.		
		Rupert H. Johnson, Jr.		
	2.	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A	GROUP	
		(a) (b) X		
	3.	SEC USE ONLY		
	4.	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION		
		USA		
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5. SOLE VOTING POWER

		(See Item 4)
	6.	SHARED VOTING POWER
		(See Item 4)
	7.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		(See Item 4)
	8.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		(See Item 4)
9.	AGGRE	GATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
	0	
10.	CHECK	X IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES
	CERTA	IN SHARES [ ]
11.	PERCE	INT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
	0.0%	

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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Item 1.
(a) Name of Issuer
     Genocea Biosciences, Inc.
(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices
      100 Acorn Park Drive
      Cambridge, MA 02140
Item 2.
(a) Name of Person Filing
     (i): Franklin Resources, Inc.
     (ii): Charles B. Johnson
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	(iii): Rupert H. Johnson, Jr.
(b)	Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence
	(i), (ii), and (iii):
	One Franklin Parkway
	San Mateo, CA 94403 1906
(c)	Citizenship
	(i): Delaware
	(ii) and (iii): USA
(d)	Title of Class of Securities
	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share
(e)	CUSIP Number
	372427104

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Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to $\$\$240.13d\ 1(b)$ or $240.13d\ 2(b)$ or $(c)$ ,	
check whether the person filing is a:	
(a) [ ] Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act U.S.C. 780).	(15
(b) [ ] Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).	
(c) [ ] Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the (15 U.S.C. 78c)	Act
(d) [ ] Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act  of 1940 (15 U.S.C 80a 8).	
(e) [ ] An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d 1(b)(1)(ii)(E);	
(f) [ ] An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d 1(b)	<u> </u>
(1)(ii)(F);	

(g) [X] A parent holding company or control person in accordance with  $\$240.13d\ 1(b)$ 

(1)(ii)(G);

(h) [ ] A savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit

Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);

under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C.

80a 3);

(j) [ ] A non U.S. institution in accordance with  $\$240.13d\ 1(b)$  (ii) (J);

(k) [ ] Group, in accordance with §240.13d 1(b)(1)(ii)(K).

If filing as a non U.S. institution in accordance with  $\$240.13d\ 1(b)\ (1)\ (ii)\ (J)$ ,

please specify the type of institution:

Item 4. Ownership

The securities reported herein are beneficially owned by one or more open or closed

end investment companies or other managed accounts that are investment management clients

of investment managers that are direct and indirect subsidiaries (each, an "Investment"

Management Subsidiary" and, collectively, the "Investment Management Subsidiaries") of

Franklin Resources, Inc.("FRI"), including the Investment Management Subsidiaries listed

in this Item 4. When an investment management contract (including a sub advisory

agreement) delegates to an Investment Management Subsidiary investment discretion or

voting power over the securities held in the investment advisory accounts that are subject

to that agreement, FRI treats the Investment Management Subsidiary as having sole

investment discretion or voting authority, as the case may be, unless the agreement

specifies otherwise. Accordingly, each Investment Management Subsidiary reports on

Schedule 13G that it has sole investment discretion and voting authority over the  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{S}}$ 

securities covered by any such investment management agreement, unless otherwise noted in

this Item 4. As a result, for purposes of Rule  $13d\ 3$  under the Act, the Investment

Management Subsidiaries listed in this Item 4 may be deemed to be the beneficial owners of

the securities reported in this Schedule 13G.

Beneficial ownership by Investment Management Subsidiaries and other FRI affiliates is

being reported in conformity with the guidelines articulated by the SEC staff in  $\,$ 

Release No.  $34\ 39538$  (January 12, 1998) relating to organizations, such as FRI, where

related entities exercise voting and investment powers over the securities being

reported independently from each other. The voting and investment powers held by

Franklin Mutual Advisers, LLC ("FMA") and Franklin Advisory Services, LLC ("FAS"), each an

indirect wholly owned Investment Management Subsidiary, are exercised independently from

FRI and from all other Investment Management Subsidiaries (FRI, its affiliates and the

Investment Management Subsidiaries other than FMA and FAS are collectively, "FRI  $\,$ 

affiliates"). Furthermore, internal policies and procedures of FMA, FAS and  ${\sf FRI}$  establish

informational barriers that prevent the flow between FMA and FAS, on the one hand, and the

FRI affiliates, on the other hand, of information that relates to the voting and  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left$ 

investment powers over the securities owned by their respective management clients.

Consequently, FMA and FAS report the securities over which they hold investment and voting

power separately from the FRI affiliates for purposes of Section 13 of the  $\mbox{\rm Act.}$ 

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Charles B. Johnson and Rupert H. Johnson, Jr. (the "Principal Shareholders") each own in

excess of 10% of the outstanding common stock of FRI and are the principal stockholders of

FRI. FRI and the Principal Shareholders may be deemed to be, for purposes of Rule  $13d\ 3$ 

under the Act, the beneficial owners of securities held by persons and entities for whom

or for which FRI subsidiaries provide investment management services. The number of

shares that may be deemed to be beneficially owned and the percentage of the class of

which such shares are a part are reported in Items 9 and 11 of the cover pages for FRI and

each of the Principal Shareholders. FRI, the Principal Shareholders and each of the

Investment Management Subsidiaries disclaim any pecuniary interest in any of such

securities. In addition, the filing of this Schedule 13G on behalf of the Principal

Shareholders, FRI and the FRI affiliates, as applicable, should not be construed as an

admission that any of them is, and each of them disclaims that it is, the beneficial

owner, as defined in Rule 13d 3, of any of the securities reported in this Schedule 13G.

FRI, the Principal Shareholders, and each of the Investment Management Subsidiaries

believe that they are not a "group" within the meaning of Rule 13d 5 under the Act and

that they are not otherwise required to attribute to each other the beneficial ownership

of the securities held by any of them or by any persons or entities for whom or for which

the Investment Management Subsidiaries provide investment management services.

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

0

(b) Percent of class:

0.0%

- (c) Number of shares as to which the person has:
  - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote

Inc.:		Franklin Resources,	0	
Johnson:		Charles B.		0
Jr.:		Rupert H. Johnson,	0	
	(ii)	Shared power to vote or to di	rect the	vote
		0		
	(iii)	Sole power to dispose or to d	irect the	disposition of
Inc.:		Franklin Resources,	0	
Johnson:		Charles B.		0
Jr.:		Rupert H. Johnson,	0	

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

0

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Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof

 $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1$ 

percent of the class of securities, check the following [X].

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

The clients of the Investment Management Subsidiaries, including investment

companies registered under the Investment Company  $\operatorname{Act}$  of 1940 and other

 $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right)$  managed accounts, have the right to receive or power to direct the receipt of

dividends from, and the proceeds from the sale of, the securities reported  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1$ 

herein.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{A}}$ 

Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company

See Attached Exhibit C

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not Applicable

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Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the

securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of

business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{E}}$ 

effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and

were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any

transaction having that purpose or effect.

Exhibits

Exhibit A Joint Filing Agreement

Exhibit B Limited Powers of Attorney for Section 13 Reporting Obligations

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of  $my\ knowledge$  and belief, I certify that

the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: January 30, 2018

Franklin Resources, Inc.