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## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Addres <u>MARTIN J T</u> | is of Reporting Persor<br>YLER | *        | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>DYNAVAX TECHNOLOGIES CORP</u> [<br>DVAX ] |   | ionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner |                       |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|---|---|---|-----------------------|--|--|
| (Last)                               | (First)                        | (Middle) |   | X   | Officer (give title below)  | Other (specify below) |  |  |
| C/O DYNAVAX<br>CORPORATION           | TECHNOLOGIE                    | S        | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/13/2012                              | President, CMO & Director                             |   |                       |  |  |
| 2929 SEVENTH STREET, SUITE 100       |                                |          | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                    | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable |   |                       |  |  |
| (Street)<br>BERKELEY                 | СА                             | 94710    |   | Line)<br>X  | Form filed by One Reporti<br>Form filed by More than C<br>Person                  | 0                     |  |  |
| (City)                               | (State)                        | (Zip)    |   |   |   |                       |  |  |

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | if any ' | Transaction<br>Code (Instr. |   |         |               |        | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|----------|-----------------------------|---|---------|---------------|--------|---|---|---|
|                                 |  |          | Code                        | v | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D) | Price  | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   | (1150. 4)   |
| Common shares                   | 02/13/2012                                 |          | A                           |   | 150,000 | A             | \$0.58 | 150,000   | D   |   |
| Common shares                   | 02/13/2012                                 |          | A                           |   | 32,848  | A             | \$1.72 | 182,848   | D   |   |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   |     |        | 6. Date Exercia<br>Expiration Dat<br>(Month/Day/Ye | te                 | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|-----|--------|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A) | (D)    | Date<br>Exercisable                                | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |  |  |
| Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                         | \$0.58  | 02/13/2012                                 |   | М                            |   |     | 75,000 | 02/27/2010 <sup>(2)</sup>                          | 02/26/2019         | Common<br>Stock   | 75,000                                 | (1)   | 225,000  | D  |  |
| Options<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                        | \$0.58  | 02/13/2012                                 |   | М                            |   |     | 75,000 | 02/27/2011 <sup>(2)</sup>                          | 02/26/2019         | Common<br>Stock   | 75,000                                 | (1)   | 150,000  | D  |  |
| Options<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                        | \$1.72  | 02/13/2012                                 |   | М                            |   |     | 32,848 | 08/25/2011 <sup>(2)</sup>                          | 08/24/2020         | Common<br>Stock   | 32,848                                 | (1)   | 484,396  | D  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Not applicable.

2. On February 13, 2012, Dr. Martin exercised certain of his outstanding options for cash. No shares were sold in the market in connection with this exercise.

J. Tyler Martin, by /s/ Jennifer

Lew, Attorney-in Fact

02/15/2012

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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