FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KESSEL MARK					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DYNAVAX TECHNOLOGIES CORP [5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
					DVAX]									X Directo	or	X	10% O	wner	
(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)												Officer below)	(give title		Other (below)	specify
C/O DYNAVAX TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/12/2010													
2929 SEVENTH STREET, SUITE 100					4. It	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)														Line	,	filed by One	e Rep	orting Pers	on
BERKELEY CA 94710														Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				orting	
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	e Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	of, or	Ben	eficial	ly Owned	k			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Dat			Code	action (Instr.				(A) or . 3, 4 and	Benefici Owned I	ies Fo ially (D Following (I)		vnership n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ansaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
		Т	able II - I (osed of converti				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	I. Fransaction Code (Instr. B)		ı of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	•	e and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	re es ally ng d tion(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	C	Amount or Number of Shares					
Option (Right to	\$1.88	05/12/2010			A		5,000		(1)	C	05/11/2020	Comn		5,000	(2)	5,000)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This option vests fully on May 12, 2011, the one year anniversary of the date of grant.
- 2. Not applicable.

/s/ Mark Kessel

05/14/2010

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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