FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Semerjian Harout   |   |                    | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GLYCOMIMETICS INC [ GLYC ]               |  |                                |  |         |   |   |        |  | ationship of<br>all applica<br>Director             |  | Reporting Person(s) to Issue<br>le)<br>10% Own                  |   |  |                               |          |  |  |
|--|---|--------------------|--|--|--------------------------------|--|---------|---|---|--------|--|---|--|---|---|--|-------------------------------|----------|--|--|
| (Last)   | (F<br>COMIME)   | irst)<br>TICS, INC | (Middle)   |  |                                | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/12/2024  |         |   |   |        |  |   | X  | below)  | (give title<br>hief Executive   |  | Other (specify below) Officer |          |  |  |
| 9708 MEDICAL CENTER DRIVE  |   |                    |  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |                                |  |         |   |   |        |  |   | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)   |   |   |  |                               |          |  |  |
| (Street)   | ILLE M  | ID                 | 20850  |  |                                |  |         |   |   |        |  |   |  | X   | X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |                               |          |  |  |
| (City)   | (S  | tate)              | (Zip)  |  | Ru                             | ıle 1  | 10b5-1  | 1(c)  | Transa  | ctio   | on Indi  | ication   |  |   |   |  |                               |          |  |  |
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|  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned                  |                    |  |  |                                |  |         |   |   |        |  |   |  |   |   |  |                               |          |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D   |   |                    | action 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Ye                       |  | Date,                          | e, Transaction Disposed Code (Instr.   |         | ities Acquired (A) or<br>d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an |   |        | 5. Amoun<br>Securities<br>Beneficial<br>Owned Fo | s Form<br>lly (D) o<br>ollowing (I) (In             |  | Direct Indirect I   | 7. Nature of<br>ndirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                                |  |                               |          |  |  |
|  |   |                    |  |  |                                |  |         | Code  | v   | Amount | (A) (D)  | Pric  | rice Reported<br>Transacti<br>(Instr. 3 a  |   | on(s)   |  |                               | nstr. 4) |  |  |
| 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)  | Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Tr.<br>Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Co |                    | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |  | e<br>s<br>l (A)<br>sed<br>str. | Expiration Date of \$ (Month/Day/Year) Und   |         |   | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |        |  | 3. 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) |   | 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) |                               |          |  |  |
|  |   |                    |  |  | ode V                          |  | (A)     | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable   |        | xpiration<br>ate                                 | Title   | Amoun<br>or<br>Numbe<br>of Shar  | r   |   | (Instr. 4)   |                               |          |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)   | \$3.11  | 01/12/2024         |  | A  | A                              |  | 695,000 |   | (1)   | 01     | 1/11/2034  | Common<br>Stock                                     | 695,0  | 00  | \$0.00  | 695,00   | )0                            | D        |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. 25% of the shares underlying this option will vest on January 12, 2025 and the remaining shares will vest in equal monthly installments over 36 months thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service with the Issuer through each such vesting date.

## Remarks:

/s/ Brian F. Leaf, attorney-in-01/17/2024 fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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