FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PEARSON TIMOTHY R |  |  |   |        | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GLYCOMIMETICS INC [ GLYC ] |   |  |                                      |   |                               |                           |                            |   | ationship o<br>all applic<br>Directo | able)                               | eporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>e)<br>10% Owner   |   |  |   |
|---|--|--|---|--------|---|---|--|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| (Last)  | (Fi  | ,  | (Middle)  |        |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/16/2016 |  |                                      |   |                               |                           |                            |   |                                      | Officer<br>below)                   | (give title   |   | Other (s<br>below)   | pecify                                  |
| 9708 MEDICAL CENTER DRIVE                                   |  |  |   | 4. If  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                      |   |  |                                      |   |                               |                           |                            | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable                                       |                                      |                                     |   |   |  |   |
| (Street) ROCKVILLE MD 20850                                 |  |  |   |        |   |   |  |                                      |   |                               |                           | ine)<br>X                  | ,   |                                      |                                     |   |   |  |   |
| (City)  | (Si  | tate)                                      | (Zip)   |        |   |   |  |                                      |   |                               |                           |                            |   |                                      |                                     |   |   |  |   |
|   |  | Tab  | le I - Non-   | -Deriv | ative   | Se  | curities   | Ac                                   | quired, D   | ispo                          | osed o                    | f, or Be                   | neficia   | ally                                 | Owned                               |   |   |  |   |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da  |  |  |   |        | ar) l   | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5) |   | ties Acquire<br>I Of (D) (Ins |                           | and Securitie<br>Beneficia |   | s<br>illy<br>ollowing                | Form                                | : Direct<br>Indirect<br>str. 4)   | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |   |
|   |  |  |   |        |   |   | Code V   | , .                                  | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D)                 | Price                     | ,                          | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |                                      |                                     |   | Instr. 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)         | 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 Da<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/\) | c      | Transac<br>Code (I  |   | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D) (Instr.<br>3, 4 and 5) |                                      | 6. Date Exercisa<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Yea |                               | of Sec<br>Under<br>Deriva |                            | . Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Inderlying<br>Derivative Security<br>Instr. 3 and 4) |                                      | Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5) | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficial<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactio<br>(Instr. 4) | lly   | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>t (Instr. 4) |
|   |  |  |   | c      | Code  | v   | (A)  | (D)                                  | Date<br>Exercisable                                   | Ex <sub>I</sub>               | piration<br>te            | Title                      | Amour<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares   | r                                    |                                     |   |   |  |   |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                        | \$6.35   | 05/17/2016                                 |   |        | A   |   | 11,000   |                                      | (1)   | 05/                           | /16/2026                  | Common<br>Stock            | 11,00   | 0                                    | \$0.00                              | 11,000  | )   | D  |   |

## Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares underlying this option vest on May 17, 2017, subject to the reporting person's continuous service as of such vesting date.

## Remarks:

/s/ Brian F. Leaf, attorney-infact 05/19/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- \*\* 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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