FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROTEIN DESIGN LABS INC/DE [ PDLI ]									neck all appli X Directo	cable) or		Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PROTEIN DESIGN LABS, INC. 34801 CAMPUS DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/30/2004									below)		belov	,		
(Street) FREMONT CA 94555					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)																		
Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						ction 2A. Deemed Execution D			3. Transact Code (In	ion Di str. 5)	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)		ed (A) or str. 3, 4 an	5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/		Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
				c	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expir Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19.13	06/30/2004			A		3,000		(1)	06/30	)/2014	Common Stock	3,000	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>	3,000	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19.13	06/30/2004			A		3,000		(1)	06/30	)/2014	Common Stock	3,000	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>	3,000	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$19.13	06/30/2004			A		8,000		(3)	06/30	)/2014	Common Stock	8,000	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>	8,000	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Options vest 1/12 per month over one (1) year from the date of the grant. Only vested options are exercisable.
- 2. Column 8 is not a required reportable field. New SEC software requires a dollar amount; use zeros per SEC.
- 3. Options vest 1/8 per month over 8 months from October 20, 2004. Only vested options are exercisable.

## Remarks:

/s/ George M. Gould

07/01/2004

\*\* 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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