

ARCA biopharma, Inc.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BRISTOW MICHAEL R**  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
8001 ARISTA PLACE, SUITE 430  
  
(Street)  
  
BROOMFIELD, CO 80021  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**ARCA biopharma, Inc. [ABIO]**  
  
3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**06/04/2013**  
  
4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**President and CEO**  
  
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					178,215 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	by NFS Custodian for Michael Bristow's IRA
Common Stock					139,082 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Investocor Trust as sole trustee
Common Stock					46,678 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	

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

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**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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	(2)	06/04/2013		A	781	06/04/2013 (2)	Common Stock	781
Common Stock Warrants (right to buy)	\$ 1.6	06/04/2013		A	39,050	06/04/2013(3) 06/04/2018	Common Stock	39,050

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BRISTOW MICHAEL R 8001 ARISTA PLACE SUITE 430 BROOMFIELD, CO 80021	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Michael R.  
Bristow  
06/06/2013  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Share amounts have been adjusted from original reported amount by 1 for 6 stock split effective March 4, 2013.
- (2) Each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock is convertible at any time into 100 shares of Common Stock and has no expiration date.
- (3) The warrants are fully vested and exercisable upon issuance and have a contractual term of 5 years.

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