

NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
**HAWRAN PAUL W**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC [NBIX]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES, INC., 12790 EL CAMINO REAL**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**10/27/2005**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Executive VP and CFO**

**SAN DIEGO, CA 92130**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M			2,563	A	\$ 7.75	286,892	D	
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M			3,475	A	\$ 23.375	290,367	D	
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M			7,815	A	\$ 5.375	298,182	D	
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M			5,062	A	\$ 34.5	302,244	D	
Common Stock	10/27/2005		F			6,230	D	\$ 51	297,014	D	(1)

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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.75	10/27/2005		M	2,563	05/16/1998 04/16/2008	Common Stock	2,563	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.375	10/27/2005		M	3,475	06/24/2000 05/24/2010	Common Stock	3,475	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.375	10/27/2005		M	7,815	04/02/1999 03/02/2009	Common Stock	7,815	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.5	10/27/2005		M	5,062	03/22/2000 02/22/2010	Common Stock	5,062	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other  
Executive VP and CFO

HAWRAN PAUL W  
NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES, INC.  
12790 EL CAMINO REAL  
SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

## Signatures

Margaret E. Valeur-Jensen, By Power of  
Attorney

10/31/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## 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) 196,337 non-derivative securities are held by the Reporting Person; 100,677 non-derivative securities are held by the PNH Limited Liability Company.

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