BENITO SIMON X

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BENITO SIMON X**

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INOVIO BIOMEDICAL CORP

[INO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

967 LAWRENCE AVENUE 05/02/2008

(Middle)

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

X_ Director

Officer (give title

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Issuer

below)

WESTFIELD, NJ 07090

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

Estimated average

burden hours per

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code	V	(A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Inovio Biomedical Corporation Common Stock Option	\$ 0.89	05/02/2008		A		15,000		06/02/2008(1)	05/02/2018	Inovio Biomedical Corporation Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BENITO SIMON X							
967 LAWRENCE AVENUE	X						
WESTFIELD, NJ 07090							

Signatures

Simon X. Benito 05/06/2008

**Signature of 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).
- The 15,000 option share grant was a discretionary option grant from the 2007 OMNIBUS INCENTIVE PLAN, as amended. The vesting schedule for these 15,000 option shares is as follows: 1,250 option shares will vest monthly from the date of grant over a period of 12 months, ending May 2, 2009.

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