FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Engle Robert E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol METABOLIX, INC. [MBLX]									Check a	II app Direc	olicable)	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (speci		wner
(Last) C/O MET 21 ERIE	(Fii FABOLIX, STREET	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)											N)			
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		r) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				4 and Secur Benef Owne		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	_ Ti	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock 11)/2012				P		25,000	0	A	\$ <u>1</u> .	07	45,000		D	D	
Common Stock																2,557			By 401(k) Plan ⁽¹⁾	
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr	ative rities ired osed	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)				curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares acquired as Company matching contributions under the Metabolix, Inc. 401(k) Plan.

/s/ Sarah P. Cecil, attorney-in-12/04/2012

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** 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).
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