FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kouba Jay</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol METABOLIX, INC. [MBLX]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issu Check all applicable) X Director 10% Ow				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O METABOLIX, INC.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/07/2012							Officer below)	(give title		Other (sp below)	pecify	
21 ERIE STREET					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)													
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date				Fransactior te onth/Day/Yo	Execution Date			e, Transaction Disp Code (Instr. 5)		urities Acquired (A) or sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	s ally ollowing	6. Owner Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	oirect ondirect B	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		"	nstr. 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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code (Instr				6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ite	7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 ar	ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly D	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.16	06/07/2012		A		25,000		06/07/2013	06/07/2022	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	25,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Sarah P. Cecil, Attorney-in-

fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

06/11/2012

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

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