NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC

Form 4

February 14, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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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

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **GORMAN KEVIN CHARLES**

(First) (Middle)

NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES, INC., 12790 EL CAMINO REAL

(Street)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC [NBIX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

| (City) | (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | lly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | | S | 300 | D | \$ 4.96 | 74,927 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | | S | 530 | D | \$ 4.97 | 74,397 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | | S | 900 | D | \$ 4.98 | 73,496 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | | S | 500 | D | \$ 4.99 | 72,997 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | | S | 600 | D | \$ 5 | 72,397 | D | |

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| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S | 300 | D | \$ 5.01 | 72,097 | D |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|-------|---|------------|--------|-------|
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S | 794 | D | \$ 5.02 | 71,303 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S | 1,200 | D | \$ 5.03 | 70,103 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S | 900 | D | \$ 5.04 | 69,203 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S | 400 | D | \$ 5.05 | 68,803 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S | 106 | D | \$ 5.06 | 68,697 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S | 400 | D | \$ 5.08 | 68,297 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S | 900 | D | \$ 5.09 | 67,397 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2008 | S <u>(1)</u> | 400 | D | \$ 5.1 | 66,997 | D (2) |

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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerci | sable and | 7. Title | e and | 8. Price of |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|-----------------------|------------|----------|--------------|-------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transactio | onNumber | Expiration Dat | te | Amou | nt of | Derivative |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/Y | ear) | Under | lying | Security |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securi | ties | (Instr. 5) |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | | | (Instr. | 3 and 4) | |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | |
| | | | | | (A) or | | | | | |
| | | | | | Disposed | | | | | |
| | | | | | of (D) | | | | | |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Amount | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | | or Number | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable Date | Date | | of | |
| | | | | C-1- V | (A) (D) | | | | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | |

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GORMAN KEVIN CHARLES NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES, INC. 12790 EL CAMINO REAL SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

President & CEO

Signatures

Margaret E. Valeur-Jensen, By Power of Attorney

02/14/2008

**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).
- Sale of 8,230 shares of common stock issued upon vesting of 21,000 restricted stock units on February 11, 2008 to cover payroll and (1) withholding taxes, with the balance of the shares (12,770) maintained by the Reporting Person; the sale was effected by a broker pursuant to instructions set forth in a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the Reporting Person and delivered to the broker on March 22, 2007.
- (2) 52,335 non-derivative securities are held directly by Reporting Person; 14,662 non-derivative securities are held indirectly by the KCG Limited Liability Company.

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