FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Stratton Kenneth Blair					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STEMCELLS INC [ STEM ]									Check all a Di		ng Pers	g Person(s) to Issue 10% Owne Other (spe		
	O STEMCELLS, INC.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2014												below)		
7707 GATEWAY BLVD, STE 140  (Street)  NEWARK CA 94560				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tran				2. Trans Date	. Transaction			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. S Transaction Dis Code (Instr. 5)			4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			mount of urities eficially ed Following	Form (D) o	vnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	mount (		Price	Trai	orted saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock			01/27	7/2014				F <sup>(1)</sup>		11,92	1	D	\$1.	.41	07,734(2)			
Common Stock																16,523		I	By 401(k) Plan <sup>(3)</sup>
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any			Transaction Code (Instr.		of		6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		/ D	.0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. This is recorded as a Code F disposition because the shares were used by the reporting person to pay a tax liability incurred by him from the delivery of shares incident to the vesting of restricted stock units.
- 2. Includes (1) 280,000 restricted stock units, with 70,000 of this vesting on each of May 24, 2014, May 24, 2015, May 24, 2016, and May 24, 2017; (2) 65,000 restricted stock units, with 32,500 of this vesting on each of January 27, 2015 and January 27, 2016; and (3) 5,000 restricted stock units vesting on June 1, 2014.
- 3. Includes shares held in 401(k) account in accordance with issuer's employer-match policies.

## Remarks:

<u>/s/ Ken Stratton</u> <u>01/29/2014</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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