FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  KOSHY GEORGE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STEMCELLS INC [ STEM ]										II app Dired Offic	er (give title		10% C	wner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O STEMCELLS, INC. 3155 PORTER DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2011										below) A below)  chief accounting officer					
(Street) PALO ALTO CA 94304  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Cline)  X Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than Operson											porting Pers	on		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month/I					/Day/Year) i		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			and Secur Benef		cially I Following	For (D)	Ownership rm: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	,  т	ransa	nsaction(s) tr. 3 and 4)			(1130.4)
Common Stock 03/11					/2011				F		10,760	6	D	\$0	.81	173,434(1)			D	
Common Stock																39,323			I	By 401(k) Plan <sup>(2)</sup>
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. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of i		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat	е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	ative c ity 5 5) E F	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	,	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Includes\ 55,600\ restricted\ stock\ units,\ with\ 1/4\ vesting\ on\ each\ of\ the\ four\ anniversaries\ following\ the\ May\ 15,\ 2009\ grant\ date.$
- 2. Shares held in 401(k) account, in accordance with issuer's employer-match policies.

## Remarks:

/s/ Ken Stratton, attorney-in-

\*\* 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).
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