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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Bujarski Robert Joseph Issuer Symbol QUIDEL CORP /DE/ [QDEL] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ __ Other (specify 12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE, 02/11/2019 below) **SUITE 200** SVP, Bus Dev & Gen Counsel (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

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(City) (State) (Zip) Tab				ole I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities A Transaction(A) or Dispose Code (Instr. 3, 4 and (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
	Common Stock	02/11/2019		A	2,082 (1)	A	\$ 0	44,950	D		
	Common Stock	02/11/2019		F	676 (2)	D	\$ 60.75	44,274	D		
	Common Stock	02/11/2019		A	624 (1)	A	\$0	44,898	D		
	Common Stock	02/11/2019		F	213 (2)	D	\$ 60.75	44,685	D		

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 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/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units (Converted)	(3)	02/11/2019		A	2,749	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	2,749
Restricted Stock Units (Premium)	(3)	02/11/2019		A	824	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	824

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bujarski Robert Joseph 12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE, SUITE 200 SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

SVP, Bus Dev & Gen Counsel

Signatures

Robert J. 02/13/2019 Bujarski

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- (1) Reflects vesting of prior restricted stock units, which were previously reported on a Form 4.
- (2) Disposition of shares, as set forth above, was in connection with the Issuer's withholding of common shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations related to the issuance of common shares upon release of restricted stock units.

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- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of Quidel Corporation common stock.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest on the date of the grant, February 11, 2019.
- (5) The restricted stock units were received in lieu of a percentage of the reporting person's 2018 cash bonus pursuant to the Quidel Corporation Deferred Bonus Compensation Plan.
- (6) The restricted stock units vest on the first anniversary date of the grant date, February 11, 2020.

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