

Plesha Scott M.  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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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)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Plesha Scott M.</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O BIODELIVERY SCIENCES INTL, INC.,Â 4131 PARKLAKE AVE. SUITE 225</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>RALEIGH,Â NCÂ 27612</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>12/20/2017</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>BIODELIVERY SCIENCES INTERNATIONAL INC [BDSI]</p> <p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) President</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	130,031	D	Â

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
Restricted Stock Units	Â (1)(4)	08/10/2018	Common Stock	109,296	\$ 0	D Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â (2)(4)	03/01/2019	Common Stock	35,000	\$ 0	D Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â (3)(4)	02/06/2020	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 0	D Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Plesha Scott M. C/O BIODELIVERY SCIENCES INTL, INC., 4131 PARKLAKE AVE. SUITE 225 RALEIGH, NC 27612	Â	Â	Â President	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Scott M Plesha  
01/02/2018  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The Restricted Stock Units (each a "RSU") were issued to Scott M. Plesha (the "Reporting Person") on August 10, 2015, pursuant to a grant under the Issuer's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended (the "Plan"). The RSUs vested as to one-third on, (i) August 10, 2016; and; (ii) August 10, 2017. One-third of the RSUs will vest on August 10, 2018.
  - (2) The RSUs were issued to the Reporting Person on February 29, 2016, pursuant to a grant under the Plan. The RSUs vested as to one-third on March 1, 2017. One-third of the RSUs will vest on each of, (i) March 1, 2018; and (ii) March 1, 2019.
  - (3) The RSUs were issued to the Reporting Person on February 6, 2017, pursuant to a grant under the Plan. One-third of the RSUs will vest on each of, (i) February 6, 2018; (ii) February 6, 2019; and (iii) February 6, 2020.
  - (4) Upon vesting, each RSU entitles the Reporting Person to one share of the Issuer's common stock. The Reporting Person has been granted the right to elect to defer actual payment of a vested RSU award, subject to compliance with Internal Revenue Code Section 409A.

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