FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORGANOVO HOLDINGS, INC. [ ONVO ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
Murphy Keith															Directo	or	X	10% O	vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2013								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s	specify		
6275 NANCY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE 110															Chair	Chairman, CEO and President					
(Street)							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
SAN DIEGO CA 92121													X Form filed by One Reporting Person								
(City) (State) (Zip)															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curities	Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficia	ılly	Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed Code (Instr.			ies Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or (D)			Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(m.su. +)		
Common	Stock		3/2013	2013		F		24,690 <sup>(1)</sup> D		\$4.5	85	6,45	6,456,402		D						
		-	Table II -								osed of, onvertil				wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares								
Stock Option (Right to	\$4.585	02/13/2013			A		24,690		02/13/201	3 (	02/13/2013	Common Stock	24,69	0	\$0	24,690	)	D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The shares were automatically withheld and returned to the Company pursuant to the Reporting Person's Equity Incentive Award Agreement issued in August 2012 to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the partial vesting of restricted stock units granted in August 2012.
- $2. \ The \ option \ was \ automatically \ is sued \ pursuant \ to \ the \ terms \ of \ the \ Reporting \ Person's \ Equity \ Incentive \ Award \ Agreement \ is sued \ in \ August \ 2012.$

<u>/s/ Keith Murphy</u> <u>02/14/2013</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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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