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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Abney Michael Donald Jr.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Mid		(Middle)	QUIDEL CORP /DE/ [QDEL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
(Eust)	(11150)	(Midule)	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE, SUITE 200 (Street) SAN DIEGO, CA 92130			02/14/2019	X Officer (give title Other (specification) SVP - Distribution		
			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		
SAN DIEGO), CA 92130	J		Person		

(City)	(State)	^(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/14/2019		M	14,807	A	\$ 24.68	28,941	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2019		S	14,807	D	\$ 65 (1)	14,134	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2019		S	8,706	D	\$ 65 (1)	5,428	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)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 24.68	02/14/2019		M	14,807	(2)	01/19/2025	Common Stock	14,8

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Abney Michael Donald Jr.

12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE, SUITE 200 SVP - Distribution

SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

Signatures

Robert J. Bujarski, attorney-in-fact for Michael D.
Abney
02/19/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
 - The weighted average sale price for these transactions was \$65.00 per share, with a range of \$65.00 to \$65.00. Upon request, the
- (1) Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide to staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder, the full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) 7,404 shares vested on 01/19/2017; 3,702 shares vested on 01/19/2018; and 3,701 shares vested on 01/19/2019.

Remarks:

All transactions reported herein were effected pursuant to a pre-established 10b5-1 trading plan.

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