

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Barnett Valerie</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CYTEK BIOSCIENCES, INC. 47215 LAKEVIEW BOULEVARD (Street) FREMONT CA 94538 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Cytek Biosciences, Inc. [CTKB]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) CHIEF LEGAL OFFICER
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2026	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

Table 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	05/18/2026		M		2,454	A	(1)	136,890	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2026		F		881 ⁽²⁾	D	\$3.55	136,009	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2026		M		5,156	A	(1)	141,165	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2026		F		1,850 ⁽²⁾	D	\$3.55	139,315	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2026		M		7,250	A	(1)	146,565	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2026		F		2,602 ⁽²⁾	D	\$3.55	143,963	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2026		M		9,435	A	(1)	153,398	D	
Common Stock	05/18/2026		F		3,386 ⁽²⁾	D	\$3.55	150,012	D	

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	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)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	05/18/2026		M		2,454	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,454	\$0	12,280	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	05/18/2026		M		5,156	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	5,156	\$0	56,728	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	05/18/2026		M		7,250	(5)	(5)	Common Stock	7,250	\$0	123,262	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	05/18/2026		M		9,435	(6)	(6)	Common Stock	9,435	\$0	217,018	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Each Restricted Stock Unit (the "RSU Award") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- Represents the number of shares withheld by and surrendered to the Issuer on May 18, 2026, to satisfy tax withholding obligations that arose in connection with the vesting of the RSU Award.
- The shares subject to the RSU Award shall vest over 4 years with 2/48 of the total shares underlying the RSU Award vesting on May 18, 2023 and each May 18 thereafter; 3/48 of the total shares underlying the RSU Award vesting on August 18, 2023 and each August 18 thereafter; 3/48 of the total shares underlying the RSU Award vesting on November 18, 2023 and each November 18 thereafter; and 4/48 of the total shares underlying the RSU Award vesting on March 10, 2024 and each March 10 thereafter, until fully vested.
- The shares subject to the RSU Award shall vest over 4 years with 2/48 of the total shares underlying the RSU Award vesting on May 18, 2024 and each May 18 thereafter; 3/48 of the total shares underlying the RSU Award vesting on August 18, 2024 and each August 18 thereafter; 3/48 of the total shares underlying the RSU Award vesting on November 18, 2024 and each November 18 thereafter; and 4/48 of the total shares underlying the RSU Award vesting on March 10, 2025 and each March 10 thereafter.
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/s/ Valerie Barnett

05/20/2026

** 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).

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