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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement HOLOGIC INC [HOLX] A Brady David J (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 35 CROSBY DRIVE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person BEDFORD, MAÂ 01730 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One SVP, Human Resources Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 32,044 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of

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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 Expiration (Month/Day)			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)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	(IIIsu. 3)

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
on-Qualified Stock otion (right to buy)	(1)	11/06/2013	Common Stock	50,000	\$ 3.5625	D	Â
on-Qualified Stock otion (right to buy)	(2)	10/31/2015	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 13.865	D	Â
on-Qualified Stock otion (right to buy)	(3)	11/13/2015	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 14.5	D	Â
on-Qualified Stock otion (right to buy)	(4)	02/28/2016	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 23.915	D	Â
on-Qualified Stock otion (right to buy)	(5)	01/16/2015	Common Stock	44,000	\$ 33.31	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director 10% Owner		Officer	Other		
Brady David J 35 CROSBY DRIVE BEDFORD Â MAÂ 01730	Â	Â	SVP, Human Resources	Â		

Signatures

By: Mark J. Casey, Attorney-In-Fact For: David J.
Brady
03/13/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) This non-qualified stock option was originally issued on November 6, 2003 pursuant to the Second Amended and Restated 1999 Equity Incentive Plan and became exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning November 6, 2004.
- This non-qualified stock option was originally issued on October 31, 2005 pursuant to the Second Amended and Restated 1999 Equity (2) Incentive Plan and was accelerated as a result of the business combination with Cytyc on October 22, 2007 pursuant to a change in control provision within the grant.
- (3) This non-qualified stock option was originally issued on November 13, 2008 pursuant to the 2008 Equity Incentive Plan and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning November 13, 2009.
- (4) This non-qualified stock option was originally issued on February 28, 2006 pursuant to the Second Amended and Restated 1999 Equity Incentive Plan and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning February 28, 2007.
- (5) This non-qualified stock option was originally issued on January 16, 2008 pursuant to the Second Amended and Restated 1999 Equity Incentive Plan and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning January 16, 2009.

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