

# NEWLINK GENETICS CORP

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**LANGREN CARL W.**

## FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Address	2503 SOUTH LOOP DRIVE SUITE 5100 AMES, IA 50010
Telephone	515-296-5555
CIK	0001126234
Symbol	NLNK
SIC Code	2834 - Pharmaceutical Preparations
Industry	Biotechnology & Drugs
Sector	Healthcare
Fiscal Year	12/31

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP  
OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</b>  <b>Langren Carl W.</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle)	<b>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b>  <b>NEWLINK GENETICS CORP [ (NLNK) ]</b>	<b>5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)</b>  ___ Director ___ 10% Owner ___ X ___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below) <b>Principal Accounting Officer</b>
C/O NEWLINK GENETICS CORPORATION, 2503 SOUTH LOOP DR., SUITE 5100  (Street)  <b>AMES, IA 50010</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)</b>  <p align="center"><b>1/8/2014</b></p>	<b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b>  ___ X ___ Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
<b>4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)</b>		

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. 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	1/8/2014		G		2400	D	\$0	62391 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	1/8/2014		G		1200	A	\$0	2500	I	By Son
Common Stock	1/15/2014		S		1413	D	\$29.95	7016	I	By Pension Plan
Common Stock	1/15/2014		S		1414	D	\$29.95	7015	I	By Spouse's Pension Plan

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

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		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 of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

**Explanation of Responses:**

(1) Includes 5,700 restricted stock units ("RSUs") previously reported as holdings of the Reporting Person granted under the Issuer's 2009 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). The RSUs will vest, and shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person in a series of four successive annual installments beginning on January 2, 2015, provided in each case that the Reporting Person's continuous service to the Issuer has not been terminated as defined in or as determined under the Plan.

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Langren Carl W. C/O NEWLINK GENETICS CORPORATION				

2503 SOUTH LOOP DR., SUITE 5100  
AMES, IA 50010

Principal Accounting Officer

**Signatures**

/s/ Gordon Link, by power of attorney

1/17/2014

\*\* 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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