

Nicholls Steven Mark  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Nicholls Steven Mark		(Month/Day/Year)	MANNATECH INC [MTEX]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	12/15/2011	
600 S. ROYAL LANE #200		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)		(Check all applicable)		
COPPELL, TX 75019		<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) Chief Financial Officer		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable    Expiration Date	Title    Amount or Number of Shares			

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			Common Stock, Par Value				
Right to Purchase Common Stock	Â (1)	11/24/2018	750 \$0.0001 per share		\$ 2.53	D	Â
Right to Purchase Common Stock	Â (2)	02/23/2020	300 \$0.0001 per share		\$ 3.56	D	Â
Right to Purchase Common Stock	Â (3)	04/26/2021	25,000 \$0.0001 per share		\$ 1.66	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Nicholls Steven Mark 600 S. ROYAL LANE #200 COPPELL, TX 75019	Â	Â	Â Chief Financial Officer	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Steven Mark  
Nicholls, CFO

12/20/2011

\_\_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) Fully Vested
- (2) Two-thirds of the stock options are vested, another one-third of the stock options will vest on February 24, 2012.
- (3) One-third of the stock options will vest April 27, 2012, another one-third of the stock options will vest on April 27, 2013, and the remaining one-third of the stock options will vest on April 27, 2014.

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