

CESCA THERAPEUTICS INC.  
Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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|---|---|--|---|---|---|
| <p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Ellner Kimberly Kay</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O CESCA THERAPEUTICS INC., 2711 CITRUS ROAD</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95742</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p> | <p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>03/09/2016</p> | <p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>CESCA THERAPEUTICS INC. [KOOL]</p> | <p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br/><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br/>(give title below) (specify below)<br/>VP, Manufacturing</p> | <p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p> | <p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br/><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p> |
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Stock                       | 597  | D   | ^  |
| Common Stock (Restricted)          | 240 <sup>(1)</sup>                                       | D   | ^  |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|---|---|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
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|               | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares | Derivative Security | Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |
|---------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---|
| Stock Options | Â (2)            | 09/15/2022      | Common Stock | 750                        | \$ 12.6             | D Â   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                        |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                | Other |
| Ellner Kimberly Kay<br>C/O CESCA THERAPEUTICS INC.<br>2711 CITRUS ROAD<br>RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95742 | Â             | Â         | Â VP,<br>Manufacturing | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ Kimberly Ellner 03/16/2016

\*\*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) Half of the restricted stock will vest on 06/30/2016 and the other half will vest on 06/30/2017.
- (2) Options will vest every six months starting March 10, 2016 over a three year period.

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