TSUKAMOTO ANN

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# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TSUKAMOTO ANN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STEMCELLS INC [STEM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	` <b></b>				
C/O STEMCEI PORTER DRIV		155	(Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2009	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP, Research and Development				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
PALO ALTO, CA 94304				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				

(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	on-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Be	eneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	e 2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.		7. Nature

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
(======================================		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(		- /	Owned Following	(D) or Indirect (I)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/02/2009		S	36,816	D	\$ 1.719	175,976 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock							22,834	I	family trust (2)

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	1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security or Exerci (Instr. 3) Price of		or Exercise Price of Derivative	e	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/Year) e		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr	
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

TSUKAMOTO ANN C/O STEMCELLS, INC. 3155 PORTER DRIVE PALO ALTO, CA 94304

EVP, Research and Development

### **Signatures**

Ann Tsukamoto 04/06/2009 Date \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 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).
- Includes 137,500 restricted stock units, with 1/2 of these vesting on March 10, 2010, and 1/2 of these vesting on March 10, 2011, as well as shares held in 401(k) account, in accordance with issuer's employer-match policies.
- (2) 22834 shares held in trust as to which Dr. Tsukamoto disclaims beneficial ownership.

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