

Murphy Keith
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Murphy Keith

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ORGANOVO HOLDINGS, INC.
[ONVO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6275 NANCY RIDGE DRIVE,
SUITE 110

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/13/2013

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman, CEO and President

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 02/13/2013 | | F | (A) or (D) 24,690 (1) | \$ 4.585 | 6,456,402 | D |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction 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 (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽²⁾ | \$ 4.585 | 02/13/2013 | | A | 24,690 | 02/13/2013 02/13/2013 | Common Stock | 24,690 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Murphy Keith 6275 NANCY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE 110 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 | X | X | Chairman, CEO and President | |

Signatures

/s/ Keith
Murphy

02/14/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- The shares were automatically withheld and returned to the Company pursuant to the Reporting Person's Equity Incentive Award Agreement issued in August 2012 to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the partial vesting of restricted stock units granted in August 2012.
- (1) The option was automatically issued pursuant to the terms of the Reporting Person's Equity Incentive Award Agreement issued in August 2012.

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