FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES IN	N BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Marshall Joseph W III					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SIGA TECHNOLOGIES INC [ SIGA ]					(Ch	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner				ner	
(Last) STEVEN	(Fi	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2011						Officer below)	(give title		Other (sp below)	pecify	
1818 MARKET STREET, 29TH FLOOR				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) PHILADELPHIA PA 19034		19034								X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)													
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date			Transaction ate lonth/Day/Y	Execution Date,		Code (Instr.   5)			5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	s Formally (D) of (I) (II)		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	sion   Date   (Month/Day/Year)   Ex   (f   (Minth/Day/Year)   (f   (Minth/Day/	Execution Date, if any	Code	ransaction of Deriv. ) Secul Acqu (A) or Dispo		of Expira		Date Exercisable and xpiration Date Ionth/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly [	10. Ownership Form: 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					
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$14.22	05/17/2011		A		10,000		05/17/2011	05/17/2021	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	10,000	\$0	10,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ Joseph W. Marshall, III

05/17/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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