UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

Rose, Dr. Eric A. 112 East 78th Street New York, NY 10021

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Siga Technologies, Inc. -- SIGA

- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
- 4. Statement for Month/Year

May, 2001

- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 - (X) Director () 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)

Interim Chief Executive Officer

- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

 - (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
 () Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1. Title of Security	2. Transa Date		4.Securities Ac or Disposed o		Price	5.Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	6.Dir 7.Nature of Indirect ect Beneficial Ownership (D)or Indir ect(I)	 	
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001	5/08/01 	P I	50,000	A I	(1)	100,000	D	 	

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Table II Derivative Securitites Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
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Common Stock Purchase Warrant	\$2.94 	5/8/0 	1 P 	50,000 		5/8/01 5/8/0 	8 Common Stock 50,00	00 (1) 	50,000 	D 	'

(1) The Reporting Person purchased 50,000 shares of Common Stock and Warrants to purchase 50,000 shares of Common Stock for an aggregate purchase price of \$100,000.

/s/ Rose, Dr. Eric A.
----** Signature of Reporting Person

June 4, 2001 -----Date

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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