

HARTILL CAROLINE A
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FORM 4

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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 *
HARTILL CAROLINE A
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
RTI Biologics, Inc. [RTIX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

C/O RTI BIOLOGICS, INC., 11621 RESEARCH CIRCLE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/25/2013

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President/CSO

ALACHUA, FL 32615
 (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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	02/25/2013		A	20,000 A \$ 0	66,000	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	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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option to purchase common stock \$\$.001 par value	\$ 3.6	02/25/2013		A	60,000	(2) 02/25/2023	Common Stock	60,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HARTILL CAROLINE A C/O RTI BIOLOGICS, INC. 11621 RESEARCH CIRCLE ALACHUA, FL 32615			Executive Vice President/CSO	

Signatures

/s/ Caroline A. Hartill
 02/26/2013
 **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).
- (1) The Restricted Stock Award will become vested as to 6,666 shares on 2/25/2014, 6,667 shares on each of 2/25/2015 and 2/25/2016.
- (2) This option will become exercisable as to 12,000 shares on each of 2/25/2014, 02/25/2015, 02/25/2016, 02/25/2017 and 02/25/2018.

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