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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement RTI Biologics, Inc. [RTIX] À Johnston Lee Robert Jr (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2008 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 149 NW 166TH TERRACE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting \_X\_\_ Officer \_ Other Person (give title below) (specify below) NEWBERRY, Â FLÂ 32669 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) 0 D Â None Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of

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 $Table\ II\ -\ Derivative\ Securities\ Beneficially\ Owned\ (\textit{e.g.},\ puts,\ calls,\ warrants,\ options,\ convertible\ securities)$ 

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	•		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	()

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Option	02/27/2008	01/17/2016	common stock	73,200	\$ 2.42	D	Â
Option	02/27/2008	11/06/2016	common stock	36,600	\$ 4.93	D	Â
Option	02/27/2008	11/16/2017	common stock	85,400	\$ 9.51	D	Â

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
<b>Fg</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Johnston Lee Robert Jr 149 NW 166TH TERRACE NEWBERRY, FL 32669	Â	Â	V.P.	Â		

### **Signatures**

/s/ L. Robert
Johnston, Jr.

\*\*Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

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