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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

response...

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

A Martell Robert

(Last) (First) (Middle) 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

(Month/Day/Year)

09/14/2011

Statement

4. Relationship of Reporting

X Director

Officer

CURIS INC [CRIS]

Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4 MAGUIRE ROAD

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner _Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

LEXINGTON, MAÂ 02421

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:

Direct (D)

or Indirect

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Expiration Date Exercisable Date

Amount or Title Number of Shares

(I) (Instr. 5)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Martell Robert

4 MAGUIRE ROAD \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A}

LEXINGTON, MAÂ 02421

Signatures

/s/ Michael P. Gray, attorney-in-fact 09/15/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

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Remarks:

As of September 14, 2011, the date in which Dr. Martell joined the Curis Board of Directors, D Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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