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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement **BIOLIFE SOLUTIONS INC (BLFS)** A Casdin Partners Master Fund, (Month/Day/Year) L.P. 08/10/2018 (Last) (First) (Middle) 5. If Amendment, Date Original 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1350 AVENUE OF THE (Check all applicable) AMERICAS. SUITE 2405 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Director \_\_X\_\_ 10% Owner Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by One Reporting Person NEW YORK. NYÂ 10019 \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share 2,428,571  $D_{\underline{(1)}}$   $\hat{A}$ 

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

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(I) (Instr. 5)

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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	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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Date Expiration Title Amount or Security Direct (D)

Exercisable Date Number of or Indirect
Shares (I)

(Instr. 5)

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
	Casdin Partners Master Fund, L.P. 1350 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS SUITE 2405 NEW YORK, NY 10019	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
	Casdin Capital, LLC 1350 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS SUITE 2405 NEW YORK, NY 10019	Â	ÂΧ	Â	Â	
	Casdin Partners GP, LLC 1350 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS SUITE 2405 NEW YORK, NY 10019	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
	Casdin Eli 1350 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS SUITE 2405 NEW YORK, NY 10019	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	

## **Signatures**

Casdin Partners Master Fund LP, By: Casdin Partners GP, LLC, its General Partner, By: /s/ Eli Casdin, Managing Member			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
Casdin Capital, LLC, By: /s/ Eli Casdin, Managing Member			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
Casdin Partners GP LLC, By: /s/ Eli Casdin, Managing Member			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
/s/ Eli Casdin	08/15/2018		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- The securities are owned directly by Casdin Partners Master Fund, LP and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by (i)

  (1) Casdin Capital, LLC, the investment adviser to Casdin Partners Master Fund, LP, (ii) Casdin Partners GP, LLC, the general partner of Casdin Partners Master Fund LP, and (ii) Eli Casdin, the managing member of Casdin Capital, LLC and Casdin Partners GP, LLC.

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#### **Remarks:**

Reporting Owners 2

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