

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

## FORM 4

Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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### REPORTING OWNER

#### Lucquin Denis

CIK: **1575786**

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Mailing Address

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### ISSUER

#### BioAmber Inc.

CIK: **1534287** | IRS No.: **980601045** | State of Incorporation: **DE** | Fiscal Year End: **1231**

SIC: **2860** Industrial organic chemicals

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <b>Lucquin Denis</b>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>BioAmber Inc. [BIOA.U]</b>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>05/14/2013</b>					
C/O SOFINNOVA PARTNERS, 17 RUE DE SURENE			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Street) <b>PARIS, IO 75008</b>								
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	05/14/2013		P		880,000	A (1)	3,802,780	I	Sofinnova Capital VI FCPR (2)

**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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 (Instr. 8)		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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Common Stock Warrants (right to buy)	(1)	05/14/2013		P		880,000		08/08/2013	05/09/2017	Common Stock	(1)	880,000	I	Sofinnova Capital VI FCPR (2)

**Explanation of Responses:**

- The reported securities are included within 880,000 Units purchased by Sofinnova Capital VI FCPR on May 14, 2013 for \$10.00 per Unit in connection with the Issuer's initial public offering. Each Unit consists of one share of common stock and one warrant to purchase half of one share of common stock. The Units currently trade on the NYSE. The common stock and warrants comprising the Units will begin trading separately on June 10, 2013, at which time trading of the Units will be suspended and the Units will be de-listed. Each warrant will be exercisable during the period commencing on August 8, 2013 and ending at 5:30 p.m. on May 9, 2017 at an exercise price of \$11.00 per whole share of common stock.

2. The reporting person is a Managing Director of Sofinnova Capital VI FCPR, the owner of the reported securities. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

**Signatures**

/s/ Jean-Francois Huc, attorney-in-fact to Denis Lucquin

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

05/16/2013

Date

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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