FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Kazam Joshua A</u>					2. Is	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Nile Therapeutics, Inc. [NLTX]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O TWO RIVER GROUP HOLDINGS, LLC					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/14/2009								Officer (give title below)			er (specify ow)		
689 FIFTH AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR					4. If	Ame	ndment, D	ate of C	Original F	iled (f	Month/Day/Y	- 1	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	1	0022											i om me	u by More the	ii Olie ivep	July Person	
(City)	(State		Zip)															
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2. Transaction 2. Transaction 2. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of																		
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									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stoc	k					4								1,278,2	28	D		
Common Stock													613,84	1	I	By Kazam Family Trust		
Common Stock													165,53	0	I	By Spouse for Minor Child ⁽¹⁾		
Common Stock													165,53	0	I	By Kash Family Foundation ⁽²⁾		
			Table II					•		•		or Benefic le securitie	•	ned			,	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date Securities A. Deemed A. S. Number of Derivative Expiration Date Securities Securities		7. Title and A Securities Ur Derivative Se 3 and 4)	derlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions	Owners Form: Direct (or Indir (I) (Inst	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)									
				c	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	3)		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$4.5								(3)		01/25/2018	Common Stock	50,000		50,000	D		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$0.93								01/01/2	010	12/22/2018	Common Stock	25,000		25,000	D		
Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$1.25								07/07/2	009	07/07/2014	Common Stock	49,407		49,407	D		
Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$1.71								07/07/2	009	07/07/2014	Common Stock	49,407		49,407	D		
Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$2.28								07/07/2	009	07/07/2014	Common Stock	98,814		98,814	D		
Warrant (Right to Buy)	\$1.375	07/15/2009			J ⁽⁴⁾		31,650		07/15/2	009	07/15/2019	Common Stock	31,650	(4)	31,650	D		
Explanation of R	desponses:																	

1. Held by Reporting Person's spouse as custodian for the benefit of their minor child under the Uniform Gift to Minors Act. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary intrest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

- 2. The Reporting Person is the Trustee of the Kash Family Foundation and controls the right to vote and dispose of the shares held by the Trust. However, the Reporting Person has no pecuniary interest in the shares held by the
- 3. The shares subject to the option vest in three equal installments on September 17, 2008, September 17, 2009, and September 17, 2010.
- 4. Allocated from warrant issued to a placment agent.

Remarks:

/s/ Joshua A. Kazam

** Signature of Reporting Person

07/16/2009

Date

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

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 $^{^{\}star}$ 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).

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