#### bluebird bio, Inc. Form 3 July 18, 2014 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 3235-0104 Number: January 31, Expires:

### **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Vachon Mark		<ol> <li>Date of Event Requiring Statement</li> <li>(Month/Day/Year)</li> </ol>	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol bluebird bio, Inc. [BLUE]				
(Last) C/O BLUEB		(Middle)	07/16/2014	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		-	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
INC., 150 SECOND STREET				(Check	k all applicable		
	(Street)			Officer	X_ Director10% Ov OfficerOther (give title below) (specify below		Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141						Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	Non-Deriva	tive Securit	ies Be	neficially Owned
1.Title of Securi (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount Beneficial (Instr. 4)	of Securities ly Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr	1
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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)
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		Title	Derivative	Security:	
			Security	Direct (D)	

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Date	Expiration	Amount or	or Indirect
Exercisable	Date	Number of	(I)
		Shares	(Instr. 5)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	RelationsHip         Director       10% Owner       Office         Â X       Â       Â         07/18/2014       Office       Office	Officer	Other			
Vachon Mark C/O BLUEBIRD BIO, INC. 150 SECOND STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Jason F. Cole, Attorney-in-Fact	0′	7/18/2014				

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

#### Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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