

GIBSON KAREN  
Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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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 Person * |         | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol                         |  |
| GIBSON KAREN                              |         | (Month/Day/Year)                     | QUIDEL CORP /DE/ [QDEL]  |  |
| (Last)                                    | (First) | (Middle)                             | 02/11/2019   |  |
| 12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE,<br>SUITE 200      |         |                                      | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                           | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                   |
| (Street)                                  |         |                                      | (Check all applicable)   |  |
| SAN DIEJO, CA 92130                       |         |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner       | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)             |
| (City)                                    | (State) | (Zip)                                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person |
|   |         |                                      | (give title below) (specify below)   | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  |
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Stock                       | 5,096  | D   | ^  |

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<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4)<br>Title | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:<br>Direct (D) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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|  | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date |              | Amount or Number of Shares |          | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |   |
|--|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|----------------------------|---|
| Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy) | Â (1)            | 04/06/2025      | Common Stock | 14,354                     | \$ 25.55 | D                          | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy) | Â (2)            | 02/10/2026      | Common Stock | 21,506                     | \$ 15.4  | D                          | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy) | Â (3)            | 02/15/2027      | Common Stock | 7,593                      | \$ 21.08 | D                          | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy) | Â (4)            | 01/16/2028      | Common Stock | 3,455                      | \$ 46.41 | D                          | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy) | 01/29/2021       | 01/29/2028      | Common Stock | 2,970                      | \$ 47.85 | D                          | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy) | Â (5)            | 02/04/2029      | Common Stock | 3,322                      | \$ 59.12 | D                          | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | 04/06/2019       | Â (6)           | Common Stock | 5,870                      | \$ 0 (7) | D                          | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | Â (8)            | Â (8)           | Common Stock | 2,938                      | \$ 0 (7) | D                          | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | 02/15/2021       | Â (9)           | Common Stock | 3,797                      | \$ 0 (7) | D                          | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | 01/16/2022       | Â (10)          | Common Stock | 1,727                      | \$ 0 (7) | D                          | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | 02/04/2023       | Â (11)          | Common Stock | 1,661                      | \$ 0 (7) | D                          | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                                 |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                         | Other |
| GIBSON KAREN<br>12544 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE, SUITE 200<br>SAN DIEGO, CA 92130 | Â             | Â         | Â SVP, IS & Bus. Transformation | Â     |

## Signatures

Robert J. Bujarski, attorney-in-fact for Karen C. Gibson

02/13/2019

\_\_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).
- (1) 7,178 shares vested on 04/06/2017; 3,588 shares vested on 04/06/2018; and 3,588 shares will vest on 04/06/2019.

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- (2) 10,754 shares vested on 02/10/2018; 5,376 shares vested on 02/10/2019; and 5,375 shares will vest on 02/10/2020.
- (3) 3,797 shares will vest on 2/15/2019; 1,898 shares will vest on 02/15/2020; and 1,898 shares will vest on 02/15/2021.
- (4) 1,728 shares will vest on 01/16/2020; 864 shares will vest on 01/16/2021; and 863 shares will vest on 01/16/2022.
- (5) 1,661 shares will vest on 02/04/2021; 831 shares will vest on 02/04/2022; and 830 shares will vest on 02/04/2023.
- (6) The restricted stock units will vest on the fourth anniversary date of the grant date, 4/06/2019.
- (7) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of Quidel Corporation common stock.
- (8) 1,469 shares vested on 02/10/2018; 734 shares vested on 02/10/2019; 735 shares will vest on 02/10/2020.
- (9) The restricted stock units will vest on the fourth anniversary date of the grant date, 02/15/2021.
- (10) The restricted stock units will vest on the fourth anniversary date of the grant date, 01/16/2022.
- (11) The restricted stock units will vest on the fourth anniversary date of the grant date, 02/04/2023.

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