FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MCKENZIE W THORPE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol XBiotech Inc. [XBIT]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 8201 EAST RIVERSIDE DRIVE BUILDING 4, SUITE 100				08/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/09/2018								Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)						
(Street) AUSTIN (City)	TIN TX 78744			- 4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day				ay/Year) Exe		2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Ī	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 08/09/202					18	В			S		6,638	D	\$3.995	7(1)	3,	,171		I	Spouse
Common Stock 08/10/20				18	18		ĺ	S		3,171	D	\$3.980)8 ⁽²⁾		0		I	Spouse	
Common Stock														11,	,500		I	Trust	
Common Stock													1		00,000		I	Foundation	
Common Stock															3,898,600		D		
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)	Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code (8)		of Deriva Securi Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5)	rivative (Month/Da curities quired or sposed (D) str. 3, 4 d 5)			y/Year) Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Number of		De See (In	Price of erivative ecurity shart. 5) Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)		ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$3.98 to \$4.02, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to XBIT, any security holder of XBIT, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote

2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$3.9 to \$4.02, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to XBIT, any security holder of XBIT, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.

Effective June 29, 2018, W. Thorpe McKenzie (the "Reporting Person"), a Director of XBiotech, Inc. (the "Company"), and his spouse, Mrs. Sarah McKenzie, adopted a stock trading plan (the "10b5-1 Plan"). For personal tax and financial planning purposes, Mr. McKenzie presently intends to sell up to approximately 15% of his total holdings in the Company in monthly installments, beginning on July 30, 2018 and which will terminate on or before February 28, 2019. The 10b5-1 Plan was adopted in accordance with guidelines specified by Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the Company's insider trading policies. Rule 10b5-1 permits corporate officers, directors and others to adopt written, pre-arranged stock trading plans when they are not in possession of material, non-public information. Using these plans, insiders may gradually diversify their investment portfolios and spread stock trades over a period of time regardless of any material, non-public information they may receive after adopting their plans. In accordance with Rule 10b5-1, Mr. McKenzie will have no discretion over the sales of his shares of common stock under the plan. As reflected in this Form 4, the Reporting Person's spouse exercised and sold 9,809 shares of XBiotech Inc. common stock on the open market as part of this 10B5-1 trading plan.

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Attorney for W. Thorpe 08/13/2018

McKenzie

** Signature of Reporting Person 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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