FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     ODONNELL JEFFREY F  |  |  |  | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MELA SCIENCES, INC. /NY [ MELA ] |  |     |  |         |                                       |  |                    | (Che           | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner |   |  |                  |  |   |   |
|---|--|--|--|---|--|-----|--|---------|---------------------------------------|--|--------------------|----------------|---|---|--|------------------|--|---|---|
|   |  |  |  |   |  |     |  |         |                                       |  |                    |                |   |   | _  | r<br>(give title |  | Other (s  | · |
| (Last)  | (F   | irst)                                      | (Middle)   |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)         |     |  |         |                                       |  |                    |                | below)  | (give title   |  | below)           | specify  |   |   |
| 50 SOUTH BUCKHOUT STREET                                      |  |  |  | 01/01/2014  |  |     |  |         |                                       |  |                    |                |   |   |  |                  |  |   |   |
| SUITE 1   |  |  |  |   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |     |  |         |                                       |  |                    |                |   | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) |  |                  |  |   |   |
| (Street)  |  |  |  |   |  |     |  |         |                                       |  |                    |                |   |   | ,  | led by One       | Repo   | rting Perso   | n |
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| (City)  | (S   | tate)                                      | (Zip)  |   |  |     |  |         |                                       |  |                    |                |   |   |  |                  |  |   |   |
|   |  | Tab  | le I - Non-  | Deriva  | tive   | Sec | urities  | s Acc   | quired,                               | Disp   | osed o             | f, or B        | ene   | ficiall   | y Owned  |                  |  |   |   |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date) |  |  |  | Execution Date,   |  |     | Date,  | Code (I |                                       | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4<br>5) |                    |                |   | Securitie<br>Beneficia<br>Owned F                           | Securities For<br>Beneficially (D)   |                  | orm: Direct<br>D) or Indirect<br>) (Instr. 4)                            | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |   |
|   |  |  |  |   |  |     | Code   | v       | Amount                                | (A) or<br>(D)  |                    | Price          | Transact  |   |  |                  | (Instr. 4)   |   |   |
|   | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |  |   |  |     |  |         |                                       |  |                    |                |   |   |  |                  |  |   |   |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)           | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Da<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Y | Co  | ansact<br>ode (In  |     | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D) (Instr.<br>3, 4 and 5) |         | 6. Date Ex<br>Expiration<br>(Month/Da | Date   | of Securities      |                | curity  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)         | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | у                | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>t (Instr. 4)             |   |
|   |  |  |  | Co  | ode \  | v   | (A)  |         | Date<br>Exercisab                     |  | expiration<br>Pate | Title          | or<br>Nu<br>of  | umber   |  |                  |  |   |   |
| Stock<br>Options  | \$0.64   | 01/01/2014                                 | 01/01/2014   | 4   | A  |     | 10,000   |         | 12/06/201                             | 4 = 0  | 1/01/2024          | Commo<br>Stock | n 10  | 0,000   | \$0.00   | 10,000           |  | D   |   |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

/s/ Philip DeBellis as attorneyin-fact for Jeffrey F. O'Donnell

02/10/2014

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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