FORM 3

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Meller Gary	2. Date of Event Requiring Stater (Month/Day/Yea 03/15/2005	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Chembio Diagnostics Inc. [ CEMI ]							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1756 SE 9TH STREET			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner		(Mc	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				
(Street) FORT LAUDERDALE FL 33316			Officer (give title below)	Other (spe below)	App	olicable Line) X Form filed b	t/Group Filing (Check y One Reporting Person y More than One erson			
(City) (State) (Zip)										
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)  3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		cṫ (D)   (Inst	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)					
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	d 3. Title and Amount of Sec Underlying Derivative Sec		4. Conversion or Exercise	cise Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
	Date Exercisable	Expiratior Date	on Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)				

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned.

<u>Gary Meller</u> <u>03/25/2005</u>

\*\* 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 5 (b)(v).
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