# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

# SCHEDULE 13G

(Rule 13d-102)

# INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b), (c), AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(b)

(Amendment No.)<sup>1</sup>

89bio, Inc.
(Name of Issuer)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share
(Title of Class of Securities)
202550102
282559103
(CUSIP Number)
June 29, 2022
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:
□ Rule 13d-1(b)
⊠ Rule 13d-1(c)
□ Rule 13d-1(d)
The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in prior cover page.
The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act

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Item 1(a). Name of Issuer:

89bio, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer").

Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

142 Sansome Street, Second Floor San Francisco, California 94104

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing

Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence

Item 2(c). Citizenship

Biotechnology Value Fund, L.P. ("BVF")

44 Montgomery St., 40th Floor San Francisco, California 94104

Citizenship: Delaware

BVF I GP LLC ("BVF GP")

44 Montgomery St., 40th Floor San Francisco, California 94104

Citizenship: Delaware

Biotechnology Value Fund II, L.P. ("BVF2")

44 Montgomery St., 40th Floor San Francisco, California 94104

Citizenship: Delaware

BVF II GP LLC ("BVF2 GP")

44 Montgomery St., 40th Floor San Francisco, California 94104

Citizenship: Delaware

Biotechnology Value Trading Fund OS LP ("Trading Fund OS")

PO Box 309 Ugland House Grand Cayman, KY1-1104

Cayman Islands

Citizenship: Cayman Islands

BVF Partners OS Ltd. ("Partners OS")

PO Box 309 Ugland House Grand Cayman, KY1-1104

Cayman Islands

Citizenship: Cayman Islands

BVF GP Holdings LLC ("BVF GPH")

44 Montgomery St., 40th Floor San Francisco, California 94104

Citizenship: Delaware

BVF Partners L.P. ("Partners")

44 Montgomery St., 40th Floor

San Francisco, California 94104

Citizenship: Delaware

BVF Inc. 44 Montgomery St., 40th Floor San Francisco, California 94104 Citizenship: Delaware Mark N. Lampert ("Mr. Lampert") 44 Montgomery St., 40th Floor San Francisco, California 94104 Citizenship: United States Title of Class of Securities:

Each of the foregoing is referred to as a "Reporting Person" and collectively as the "Reporting Persons."

Item 2(d).

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Shares")

Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:

282559103

Item 3. If This Statement is Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c), Check Whether the Person Filing is a:

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	/x/	Not applicable.
(a)	//	Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Exchange Act.
(b)	//	Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Exchange Act.
(c)	//	Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Exchange Act.
(d)	//	Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act.
(e)	//	An investment adviser in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E).
(f)	//	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F).
(g)	//	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G).
(h)	//	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act.
(i)	//	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act.
(j)	//	A non-U.S. institution, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).
(k)	//	Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K). If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:

#### Item 4. Ownership

#### (a) Amount beneficially owned:

As of the close of business on July 11, 2022, the Reporting Persons hold an aggregate of 7,042,252 common warrants (the "Warrants") exercisable for an aggregate of 3,521,127 Shares. Each Warrant is exercisable for 0.5 Shares at an exercise price of \$5.325 per Share. The Warrants are immediately exercisable and will expire on the second anniversary of the original issuance date. A holder of a Warrant will not be entitled to exercise any portion of such Warrant that, upon giving effect to such exercise, would cause the aggregate number of Shares beneficially owned by such holder (together with its affiliates and any other persons whose beneficial ownership of Shares would be aggregated with the holder for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act) to exceed 9.99% of the total number of then issued and outstanding Shares, as such percentage ownership is determined in accordance with the terms of the Warrant (the "Warrants Blocker"). As of July 11, 2022, the Warrants Blocker limited the aggregate exercise of the Warrants by the Reporting Persons to 0 out of 3,521,127 Shares underlying the Warrants owned by the Reporting Persons in the aggregate.

As of the close of business on July 11, 2022, the Reporting Persons hold an aggregate of 3,144,252 pre-funded warrants (the "Pre-Funded Warrants") exercisable for an aggregate of 3,144,252 Shares. Each Pre-Funded Warrant is exercisable for one Share at an exercise price of \$0.001 per Share. The Pre-Funded Warrants are immediately exercisable and have no expiration date. A holder of a Pre-Funded Warrant will not be entitled to exercise any portion of such Pre-Funded Warrant that, upon giving effect to such exercise, would cause the aggregate number of Shares beneficially owned by such holder (together with its affiliates and any other persons whose beneficial ownership of Shares would be aggregated with the holder for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act) to exceed 9.99% of the total number of then issued and outstanding Shares, as such percentage ownership is determined in accordance with the terms of the Pre-Funded Warrant and subject to such holder's rights under the Pre-Funded Warrant to increase or decrease such percentage to any other percentage not in excess of 19.99% upon at least 61 days' prior notice from such holder to the Issuer (the "Pre-Funded Warrants Blocker"). As of July 11, 2022, the Pre-Funded Warrants Blocker limited the aggregate exercise of the Pre-Funded Warrants by the Reporting Persons to 0 out of 3,144,252 Shares underlying the Pre-Funded Warrants owned by the Reporting Persons in the aggregate.

As of the close of business on July 11, 2022 (i) BVF beneficially owned 2,108,493 Shares, excluding 1,904,636 Shares underlying the Warrants held by it and 1,700,778 Shares underlying the Pre-Funded Warrants held by it; (ii) BVF2 beneficially owned 1,547,795 Shares, excluding 1,398,148 Shares underlying the Warrants held by it and 1,248,501 Shares underlying the Pre-Funded Warrants held by it; and (iii) Trading Fund OS beneficially owned 184,268 Shares, excluding 166,453 Shares underlying the Warrants held by it and 148,637 Shares underlying the Pre-Funded Warrants held by it.

BVF GP, as the general partner of BVF, may be deemed to beneficially own the 2,108,493 Shares beneficially owned by BVF.

BVF2 GP, as the general partner of BVF2, may be deemed to beneficially own the 1,547,795 Shares beneficially owned by BVF2.

Partners OS, as the general partner of Trading Fund OS, may be deemed to beneficially own the 184,268 Shares beneficially owned by Trading Fund OS.

BVF GPH, as the sole member of each of BVF GP and BVF2 GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,656,288 Shares beneficially owned in the aggregate by BVF and BVF2.

Partners, as the investment manager of BVF, BVF2 and Trading Fund OS, and the sole member of Partners OS, may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,898,000 Shares beneficially owned in the aggregate by BVF, BVF2 and Trading Fund OS and held in a certain Partners managed account (the "Partners Managed Account"), including 57,444 Shares, which excludes 51,890 Shares underlying the Warrants held in the Partners Managed Account and 46,336 Shares underlying the Pre-Funded Warrants held in the Partners Managed Account.

BVF Inc., as the general partner of Partners, may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,898,000 Shares beneficially owned by Partners.

Mr. Lampert, as a director and officer of BVF Inc., may be deemed to beneficially own the 3,898,000 Shares beneficially owned by BVF Inc.

The foregoing should not be construed in and of itself as an admission by any Reporting Person as to beneficial ownership of any Shares owned by another Reporting Person. BVF GP disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares beneficially owned by BVF. BVF2 GP disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares beneficially owned by BVF2. Partners OS disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares beneficially owned by Trading Fund OS. BVF GPH disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares beneficially owned by BVF and BVF2. Each of Partners, BVF Inc. and Mr. Lampert disclaims beneficial ownership of the Shares beneficially owned by BVF, BVF2 and Trading Fund OS and held in the Partners Managed Accounts, and the filing of this statement shall not be construed as an admission that any such person or entity is the beneficial owner of any such securities.

## (b) Percent of class:

The following percentages are based on 39,026,850 Shares outstanding, as of June 29, 2022, as disclosed in the Issuer's Prospectus Supplement on Form 424B5 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on June 30, 2022.

As of the close of business on July 11, 2022, (i) BVF beneficially owned approximately 5.4% of the outstanding Shares, (ii) BVF2 beneficially owned approximately 4.0% of the outstanding Shares, (iii) Trading Fund OS beneficially owned less than 1% of the outstanding Shares, (iv) BVF GP may be deemed to beneficially own approximately 5.4% of the outstanding Shares, (v) BVF2 GP may be deemed to beneficially own approximately 4.0% of the outstanding Shares, (vi) Partners OS may be deemed to beneficially own less than 1% of the outstanding Shares, (vii) BVF GPH may be deemed to beneficially own approximately 9.4% of the outstanding Shares, and (viii) each of Partners, BVF Inc. and Mr. Lampert may be deemed to beneficially own approximately 9.99% of the outstanding Shares (less than 1% of the outstanding Shares are held in the Partners Managed Account).

- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
- (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote

See Cover Pages Items 5-9.

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote

See Cover Pages Items 5-9.

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

See Cover Pages Items 5-9.

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See Cover Pages Items 5-9.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Not Applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

BVF GP, BVF GPH, Partners, BVF Inc. and Mr. Lampert share voting and dispositive power over the Shares beneficially owned by BVF. BVF GPH, Partners, BVF Inc. and Mr. Lampert share voting and dispositive power over the Shares beneficially owned by BVF2. Partners, BVF Inc. and Mr. Lampert share voting and dispositive power over the Shares beneficially owned by Trading Fund OS and held in the Partners Managed Account.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary That Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.

Not Applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

See Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable.

Item 10. Certifications.

By signing below each of the undersigned certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

Mark N. Lampert President

## **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of his knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: July 11, 2022 BIOTECHNOLOGY VALUE FUND, L.P. BIOTECHNOLOGY VALUE TRADING FUND OS LP By: BVF I GP LLC., its general partner By: BVF Partners L.P., its investment manager By: BVF Inc., its general partner By: /s/ Mark N. Lampert Mark N. Lampert By: /s/ Mark N. Lampert Chief Executive Officer Mark N. Lampert President BVF I GP LLC BVF GP HOLDINGS LLC By: /s/ Mark N. Lampert Mark N. Lampert By: /s/ Mark N. Lampert Chief Executive Officer Mark N. Lampert Chief Executive Officer BIOTECHNOLOGY VALUE FUND II, L.P. BVF PARTNERS L.P. By: BVF II GP LLC, its general partner By: BVF Inc., its general partner By: /s/ Mark N. Lampert Mark N. Lampert /s/ Mark N. Lampert Chief Executive Officer Mark N. Lampert President BVF II GP LLC BVF INC. By: /s/ Mark N. Lampert Mark N. Lampert By: /s/ Mark N. Lampert Chief Executive Officer Mark N. Lampert President BVF PARTNERS OS LTD. /s/ Mark N. Lampert MARK N. LAMPERT By: BVF Partners L.P., its sole member BVF Inc., its general partner Bv: /s/ Mark N. Lampert

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## **Joint Filing Agreement**

The undersigned hereby agree that the Statement on Schedule 13G dated July 11, 2022 with respect to the Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share, of 89bio, Inc., a Delaware corporation, and any further amendments thereto executed by each and any of the undersigned shall be filed on behalf of each of the undersigned pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Rule 13d-1(k)(1) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Dated: July 11, 2022

BIOTECHNOLOGY VALUE FUND, L.P.

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