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FORM 4	FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSIO Washington, D.C. 20549											
Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).		The section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940							IIP OMB Number: 3235-0287 Estimated average burden hours per response: 0.5			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Arbuckle Stuart A (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [ VRTX ]					<u>C /</u> (Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2023						EVP, COO			
50 NORTHERN AVENUE			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
(Street) BOSTON MA	02210								X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State)	(Zip)											
Tal	ble I - I	Non-Derivat	tive Securities A	Acquir	ed, I	Disposed	of, or	Beneficial	y Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea	r) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Disposed O		ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	i í	(1150.4)	
Common Stock		02/22/2023		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		129	D	\$291.84(2)(	<sup>3)</sup> 68,576	D		
Common Stock		02/22/2023		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$292.86 <sup>(2)(</sup>	4) 68,276	D		
Common Stock		02/22/2023		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		1,378	D	\$294.29(2)(	<sup>5)</sup> 66,898	D		

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5. Number

Derivative

Securities

Acquired

(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4

and 5)

(A) (D)

of

Transaction

Code (Instr.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Date

Exercisable

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Expiration

Date

6. Date Exercisable and

Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

D

D

7. Title and

Amount of Securities

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Security (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount or Number

Shares

of

Title

Derivativ

\$295.38(2)(6)

\$296.31(2)(7)

66,504

66,304

140

9. Number of

derivative

Securities

Owned Following

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

Beneficially

8. Price of

Derivative

Security

(Instr. 5)

D

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10.

Ownership

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

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11. Nature

of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses: 1. Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Arbuckle's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.

Common Stock

Common Stock

Common Stock

Conversion

or Exercise Price of

Derivative Security

1. Title of

Derivative

Security

(Instr. 3)

2. Mr. Arbuckle undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

3. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$291.84 (range \$291.17 to \$292.03).

02/22/2023

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3A. Deemed

if any

Execution Date

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Date

4. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$292.86 (range \$292.44 to \$293.37).

5. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$294.29 (range \$293.83 to \$294.82).

6. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$295.38 (range \$294.83 to \$295.72).

7. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$296.31 (range \$296.20 to \$296.41).

## Remarks:

## /s/ Christiana Stevenson,

02/24/2023

\*\* 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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