### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addres <u>Silva Paul M</u>	s of Reporting Perso	1 <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC /</u> <u>MA</u> [ VRTX ]		ionship of Reporting Persor all applicable) Director Officer (give title	n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)
INCORPORATED		, ,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/25/2013		below) SVP & Corp Cont	,
130 WAVERLY ST. (Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02139 (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (( Form filed by One Reporti Form filed by More than C Person	ing Person

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3.4. Securities Acquired (A) orTransaction Code (Instr.Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)8)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/25/2013		М		1,125	A	\$48.74	12,875	D	
Common Stock	04/25/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$80.24 <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	12,475	D	
Common Stock	04/25/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		725	D	<b>\$80.79</b> <sup>(3)(4)</sup>	11,750	D	
Common Stock								143	Ι	401(k)

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$48.74	04/25/2013		М			1,125	(5)	07/24/2022	Common Stock	1,125	\$0.00	14,625	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Silva's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.

2. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$80.24 (range \$79.52 to \$80.50).

3. Mr. Silva 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.

4. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$80.79 (range \$80.52 to \$81.13).

5. Right to buy under 2006 Stock and Option Plan, vesting in 16 quarterly installments from 7/25/2012.

#### **Remarks:**

Kenneth L. Horton, Attorney-In-Fact

04/29/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $\ast$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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