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### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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		n*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC /	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
DUGER JUS	<u> HUA 5</u>		MA [VRTX]	X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)			Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
C/O VERTEX P INCORPORATE	HARMACEUTIC ED	ALS	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2014						
50 NORTHERN AVENUE			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicat Line)					
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Report	ting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

#### 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. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of	Acquired (D) (Insti	1 (A) or . 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following 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)		(1150.4)
Common Stock	12/31/2014		М		4,800	Α	\$10.41	343,695	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2014		М		1,300	Α	\$17.16	344,995	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2014		М		4,400	A	\$35.64	349,395	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>		2,000	D	\$119.32 <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	347,395	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2014		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		4,900	D	\$120.38(3)(4)	342,495	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>		3,200	D	<b>\$121.1</b> <sup>(3)(5)</sup>	339,295	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2014		S <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$121.8 <sup>(3)(6)</sup>	338,895	D	
Common Stock								13,286	Ι	401(k)
Common Stock								172,589	I	Common Stock held in trust <sup>(7)</sup>

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

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 Deri Sec Acq (A) o Disp of (I	oosed D) tr. 3, 4	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		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)	\$10.41	12/31/2014		М			4,800	(8)	02/02/2015	Common Stock	4,800	\$0.00	19,388	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	<b>\$</b> 17.16	12/31/2014		М			1,300	(8)	07/19/2015	Common Stock	1,300	\$0.00	36,900	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$35.64	12/31/2014		М			4,400	(8)	02/01/2016	Common Stock	4,400	\$0.00	547,200	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

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

2. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$119.32 (range \$118.78 to \$119.69).

3. Dr. Boger 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 \$120.38 (range \$119.78 to \$120.77).

5. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$121.10 (range \$120.79 to \$121.43).

6. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$121.80 (range \$121.79 to \$121.80).

- 7. Common stock held in grantor retained annuity trusts.
- 8. Fully vested.
- **Remarks:**

Kenneth L. Horton, Attorney-01/05/2015

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

In-Fact

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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