Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SACHS BRUCE I						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [ VRTX ]									ionship of Reporting all applicable)  Director  Officer (give title		10% Ow Other (s		ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/28/2014									below)			below)		
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)	(S	tate)	(Zip)		_															
		Tab	le I - I	Non-Deri	ivativ	e Sec	curit	ties Ac	quire	ed, D	isposed o	f, or B	enefici	ally	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y		Exec Year) if any		Deemed cution Date, y nth/Day/Year)		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			. Benefic		es ially Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 11/28/20				2014	14			M		10,000	A	\$28	.4	31	1,210		D			
Common Stock 11/28/20				2014	.4			S <sup>(1)</sup>		10,000	D	\$120.0	120.03(2)(3)		21,210		D			
		-	Table								posed of, , converti				wned					
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)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		D	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$28.4	11/28/2014			M			10,000	(-	4)	05/31/2018	Common Stock	10,00	00	\$0.00	10,000	)	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Sachs' company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- 2. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$120.03 (range \$120.00 to \$120.15).
- 3. Mr. Sachs 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. Fully vested.

## Remarks:

Omar White, Attorney-In-Fact 12/01/2014

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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