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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Bhatia Sangeeta N.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC /		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
			MA [VRTX]	X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED		EUTICALS	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2020						
50 NORTHERN AVENUE			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Re	porting 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 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) Securities Beneficially of Indirect Beneficial Date Execution Date, Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8) if any (Month/Day/Year) Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) or (D) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code v Price Amount 06/01/2020 1,398(1) \$0.00 **Common Stock** А Α 6,647 D s⁽²⁾ \$279.52 Common Stock 06/02/2020 50 D 6,597 D s⁽²⁾ **\$281.2**⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾ Common Stock 06/02/2020 200 D 6,397 D Common Stock 06/02/2020 **S**⁽²⁾ 313 D \$282.86(4)(5) 6,084 D **S**⁽²⁾ \$283.84(4)(6) Common Stock 06/02/2020 289 D 5,795 D s⁽²⁾ Common Stock 06/02/2020 50 D \$284.62 5,745 D Common Stock 06/02/2020 **S**⁽²⁾ 50 D \$285.73 5.695 D

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

	(e.g., puts, cans, warans, options, convention 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)				Expiration Date		d 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				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted stock unit award that vests, subject to certain limited exceptions, on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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

3. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$281.20 (range \$281.01 to \$281.66).

4. Dr. Bhatia 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.

5. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$282.86 (range \$282.36 to \$283.31).

6. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$283.84 (range \$283.47 to \$284.23).

Remarks:

/s/ Sabrina Yohai, Attorney-in-Fact 06/03/2020

** 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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