FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BOGER JOSHUA S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [VRTX]								neck all a _l	ector	ng Pers	10% Ov	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/24/2009								bel	cer (give title ow)		Other (s	вреспу
130 WAVERLY STREET (Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02139					4. I1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S		(Zip)															
		Tab	le I - No	on-Deri	vative	_			quire	d, Di	sposed o			lly Owr	ed			
Date				2. Transa Date (Month/D		Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			5) Secu Bend Own	nount of irities ificially ed Following	Form (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tran	orted saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 06/24/20					2009)09			M		6,400	A	\$13.1	1 1	,072,795		D	
Common Stock 06/24/2					2009	009			S ⁽¹⁾		6,400	D	\$33.90	1,066,395			D	
Common Stock															13,286		I	401(k)
Common Stock															207,500			Shares in trust ⁽⁴⁾
		7	able II								posed of converti			y Owne	d			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deer Execution if any (Month/I		4. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		ite	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5)	∕e derivative	re es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Options	\$13.11	06/24/2009			M			6,400	(5)		12/20/2009	Common Stock	6,400	\$0	140,77	74	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Transaction made pursuant to Dr. Boger's company approved trading plan established under Rule 10b5-1.
- $2. Open \ market \ sales \ reported \ on \ this \ line \ occurred \ at \ a \ weighted \ average \ price \ of \ \$33.90 \ (range \ \$33.28 \ to \ \$34.23).$
- 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. Shares held in trust for Dr. Boger's children. Dr. Boger disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.
- 5. Fully vested.

Remarks:

Valerie L. Andrews, Attorney-

06/25/2009

In-Fact ** 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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