FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGE	S IN RENEFICIAL	OWNERSHI

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC /								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
Bhatia Sangeeta N.					MA [VRTX]								X Director			10% Ov	vner		
(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)											Office below	r (give title)		Other (s	specify	
C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2016														
					_ 4. I1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)			00040										-	,	filed by One	e Rep	orting Perso	n	
BOSTON MA 02210				_									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				rting		
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											. 0.00					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)			red (A) or str. 3, 4 an	Benefic	es Formally (D) Following (I) (I		Ownership m: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Pr		Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(11150.4)	
Common Stock 06/01/2					1/2016	/2016		A		2,941	(1) A \$)1 2	2,941		D			
	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	ed Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		able and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	1					
Stock Option (Right to	\$93.51	06/01/2016			A		7,073		(2)	0	5/31/2026	Common Stock	7,073	\$0.00	7,073	3	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Restricted stock unit award that vests on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- 2. Fully vested.

Remarks:

Omar White, Attorney-In-Fact 06/03/2016

** 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).
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