FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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EMENT 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] | | | | | | | | | all applic | licable) or r (give title | | Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify | |
|---|---|--|--|---------------------------------|------------------------|--|------------------|---|--|--|--------------------|--|--|--|---|--|-----------|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED 130 WAVERLY ST. | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/25/2013 | | | | | | | | | below) | | | below) | |
| (Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02139 | | | | - 4. l | f Amer | ıdmer | nt, Date | of Origi | nal Fil | ed (Month/Da | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | n | | |
| (City) | (S | tate) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - N | lon-Deriv | vative | Sec | uriti | ies Ac | quire | d, D | isposed o | of, or Be | eneficia | lly | Owned | l | | | |
| Da | | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea | | Execution Date, | | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar | | | nd 5) Securiti Benefic Owned | | es ally Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | | | v | Amount | (A) or (D) Price | | Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 3 and 4 | | tion(s) | | 1 | Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | | | 09/25/2 | 09/25/2013 | | | | | | 1,400 | A | \$9.07 | 7 340 | |),295 | ,295 D | | | |
| Common Stock | | | 09/25/2013 | | | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 1,400 | D | \$74.72 | 2)(3) | 338 | 3,895 | | D | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | 300 | | 0,000 | | I S | Common Stock neld in rust. ⁽⁴⁾ | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13,286 | | | I 4 | 401(k) |
| | | 7 | able I | | | | | | | | posed of | | | | wned | | , | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | if any | emed ion Date, /Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (| | | | 6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/N | | ate | 7. Title au Amount of Securitie Underlyin Derivativ (Instr. 3 a | of s ng e Security | De Se (In | Price of rivative curity str. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4) | s Illy | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercis | sable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | er | | | | | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$9.07 | 09/25/2013 | | | M | | | 1,400 | (5) | | 12/10/2013 | Common Stock | 1,400 | | \$0.00 14,00 | | | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Transaction\ made\ pursuant\ to\ Dr.\ Boger's\ company\ approved\ trading\ plan\ under\ Rule\ 10b5-1.$
- 2. 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.
- 3. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$74.72 (range \$74.55 to \$75.04).
- 4. Common stock held in grantor retained annuity trusts.
- 5. Fully vested.

Remarks:

Kenneth L. Horton, Attorney-

09/26/2013

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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