FORM 4

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* BOGER KENNETH S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [VRTX]										(Check all ap		plicable) ctor cer (give title		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2007												SVP & General Counsel					
130 WAVERLY STREET					4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02139					_											X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate) ((Zip)																			
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	vative	Se	ecuri	ties A	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Bei	nefic	ially	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				4 and So		Amount of ecurities eneficially wned Following eported		Ownership m: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
										Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	:e	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111511.4)	
Common Stock 05/0				05/0	7/2007	7				S ⁽¹⁾		12,68	4	D	\$3	0.6		.03,677		D		
Common Stock																	1,000			I	Held by minor children	
Common Stock																		1,271		I	401(k)	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	n Date, Trans Code		(Inst			re (es l	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			Deri Sec (Ins	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	,	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Boger's company approved trading plan established under rule 10b5-1.

Remarks:

Kenneth S. Boger

05/08/2007

** 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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