## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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L. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> BOGER JOSHUA S	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC /	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
<u>DOGERTOURO</u>	MA [ VRTX ]	X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle)		Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/21/2015					
50 NORTHERN AVENUE	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
Street)		X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
BOSTON MA 02210	_	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)						
Table I - Non-Dei	ivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi	cially Owned				

## 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 3. Transaction Date Execution Date, Securities Form: Direct of Indirect Code (Instr. 8) Beneficially Owned Following (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Code v Amount Price Common Stock 10/21/2015 Μ 10,400 A \$35.64 355,684 D 10/21/2015 **S**<sup>(1)</sup> \$106.85(2)(3) Common Stock 1,300 D 354,384 D **S**<sup>(1)</sup> \$108.03(2)(4) D Common Stock 10/21/2015 4,404 D 349,980 s<sup>(1)</sup> Common Stock 1,396 \$109.14(2)(5) 348,584 10/21/2015 D D **S**<sup>(1)</sup> \$110.08(2)(6) Common Stock 10/21/2015 2,000 D 346,584 D **S**<sup>(1)</sup> Common Stock 10/21/2015 1,000 D \$110.98(2)(7) 345,584 D Common Stock 10/21/2015 **S**<sup>(1)</sup> 300 D \$112(2)(8) 345,284 D 13,286 Ι 401(k) Common Stock Common Stock Common Stock 122,700 Ι held in trust

	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)	4. Transa Code ( 8)				6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	and 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				
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$35.64	10/21/2015		М			10,400	(9)	02/01/2016	Common Stock	10,400	\$0.00	146,400	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 \$106.85 (range \$106.58 to \$107.18).

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5. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$109.14 (range \$108.64 to \$109.63).

6. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$110.08 (range \$109.64 to \$110.56).

7. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$110.98 (range \$110.75 to \$111.54).

8. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$112.00 (range \$112.00 to \$112.01).

9. Fully vested.

**Remarks:** 

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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