### FORM 4

# **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SACHS BRUCE I  (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED  50 NORTHERN AVE  (Street) BOSTON MA 02210				3. E	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [ VRTX ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/15/2024  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Inc	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)    Director				pecify  blicable	
(City)	(St	tate)	Zip)															
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
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	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)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)		urity	s. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	y G	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisat		Expiration Date	Title	or Nui of	mber ares					
Deferred Stock Units	(1)	10/15/2024		A		90.32		(1)		(1)	Commo	90	0.32	\$484.39	15,033.33	32	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Each deferred stock unit represents one share of common stock and is paid out in common stock upon the earliest to occur of (i) termination of Mr. Sachs' service on our board of directors, (ii) a change of control of our company and (iii) Mr. Sachs' disability or death.

## Remarks:

/s/ Christiana Stevenson, Attorney-in-Fact

10/17/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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