FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Kearney Terrence C					VE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC /  MA [ VRTX ]									(Check all				Ssuer Owner (specify		
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C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2019														
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(Street)															X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						ar)   i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Sec Bei		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	Amount				A) or D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111341. 4)					
Common Stock 06/01/						1/2019					2,381	1)	A \$0		10,811		0,811	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transacti Code (Ins					6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		str. 3	Deriv Secu	Price of ivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Restricted stock unit award that vests, subject to certain limited exceptions, on the first anniversary of the grant date.

# Remarks:

/s/ Omar White, Attorney-in-

<u>Fact</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

06/04/2019

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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