FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT C	OF CHANGES IN	BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Lee Yuchun</u>					<u>V</u>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [ VRTX ]							1 / 1	neck all ap	plicable)	or 10% C		/ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED 50 NORTHERN AVENUE					02/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2020								belo	w) ``		pelow)	
(Street) BOSTON MA 02210				-   4. l <sup>·</sup> -	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St	-	(Zip)									-						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date		2. Transacti	on	n 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3.		A. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		(A) or	5. Ar Secu	nount of rities ficially ed Following	6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Inc (I) (Instr.	rect irect I 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tran	saction(s) . 3 and 4)			msu. 4)
Common	Stock			02/10/20	)20				M		1,181	A	\$57.27	•	3,056	D		
Common Stock		02/10/20	2020				S <sup>(1)</sup>		120	D	\$240.04 <sup>(2</sup>	2)(3)	2,936	D				
Common Stock		02/10/20	:020				S <sup>(1)</sup>		360	D	\$241.61 <sup>(3</sup>	2,576		D				
Common	Common Stock 02/10/202		020	.0		S <sup>(1)</sup>		360	D	\$242.86 <sup>(3)(5)</sup>		2,216	D					
Common Stock 02.		02/10/20	020	20			S <sup>(1)</sup>		229	D	\$243.55(3)(6)		1,987					
Common Stock 02/10		02/10/20	)20	20			S <sup>(1)</sup>		112	D	D \$244.79 <sup>(3)(7)</sup>		1,875					
		7	able								sposed of			y Owne	d			
Derivative Conversion Date Exec Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Execu	eemed 4. ution Date, Trans		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e Own s For lly Dire or li	nership n: ect (D) ndirect nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$57.27	02/10/2020			M			1,181	(	8)	09/13/2022	Commor Stock	1,181	\$0.00	13,12	5	D	

- 1. Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Lee's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- 2. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$240.04 (range \$239.59 to \$240.49).
- 3. Mr. Lee 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.
- $4. \ Open \ market \ sales \ reported \ on this line \ occurred \ at \ a \ weighted \ average \ price \ of \ \$241.61 \ (range \ \$241.26 \ to \ \$241.87).$
- 5. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$242.86 (range \$242.37 to \$243.36).
- 6. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$243.55 (range \$243.46 to \$243.72).
- 7. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$244.79 (range \$244.78 to \$244.84).
- 8. Fully vested.

## Remarks:

/s/ Omar White, Attorney-in-

02/12/2020

Fact

\*\* 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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