Silva Paul M

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

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

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC /

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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INCORPOR			. Date of Earliest Tra 12/02/2015	ansactio	n (Mo	nth/Day/Year)		SVP & Corp Controller						
50 NORTHE	RN AVENUE		4	. If Amendment, Da	te of Ori	ginal F	=iled (Month/D		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)									X	Form filed by One	e Reporting Pers	son		
BOSTON MA 02210									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)												
		Table I -	Non-Derivativ	ve Securities A	Acquir	ed, I	Disposed	of, or I	Beneficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of	Acquired (D) (Insti	d (A) or . 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned 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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock			02/02/2015		M		1,125	A	\$37.86	18,312	D			
Common Sto	ck		02/02/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		300	D	\$108.11(2)(3)	18,012	D			
Common Sto	ck		02/02/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		668	D	\$109.89(3)(4)	17,344	D			
Common Stoo	ck		02/02/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		157	D	\$110.76 ⁽³⁾⁽⁵⁾	17,187	D			
Common Sto	ck		02/03/2015		M		938	A	\$38.8	18,125	D			
Common Stoo	ck		02/03/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		438	D	\$107.04(3)(6)	17,687	D			
Common Stoo	ck		02/03/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		300	D	\$108.16(3)(7)	17,387	D			
Common Stock			02/03/2015		S ⁽¹⁾		100	D	\$109.5	17,287	D			

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction of Derivate Security (A) or Disposo of (D)		Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		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)	\$37.86	02/02/2015		M			1,125	(8)	02/01/2022	Common Stock	1,125	\$0.00	4,500	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$38.8	02/03/2015		M			938	(9)	02/02/2021	Common Stock	938	\$0.00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Common Stock

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- 1. Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Silva's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- 2. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$108.11 (range \$107.94 to \$108.22).

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- 3. Mr. Silva 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.
- $4. Open \ market \ sales \ reported \ on \ this \ line \ occurred \ at \ a \ weighted \ average \ price \ of \ \$109.89 \ (range \ \$109.51 \ to \ \$110.42).$
- 5. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$110.76 (range \$110.74 to \$110.80).
- 6. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$107.04 (range \$106.77 to \$107.45).
- 7. Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$108.16 (range \$108.03 to \$108.40).
- 8. The option vests in 16 quarterly installments from 02/02/2012.
- 9. Fully vested.

Remarks:

Omar White, Attorney-In-Fact 02/04/2015

** 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).
- ** 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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