

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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1(b).**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Chodakewitz Jeffrey2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS
INC / MA [VRTX]5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O VERTEX
PHARMACEUTICALS
INCORPORATED, 50 NORTHERN
AVENUE3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/03/2017☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)
EVP GMDA, CMO

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

BOSTON, MA 02210

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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		
Common Stock	04/03/2017		M		2,291	A	\$ 73.51	124,802	D
Common Stock	04/03/2017		S ⁽¹⁾		1,491	D	\$ 108.5 ^{(2) (3)}	123,311	D
Common Stock	04/03/2017		S ⁽¹⁾		600	D	\$ 109.32 ^{(2) (4)}	122,711	D
Common	04/03/2017		S ⁽¹⁾		200	D	\$	122,511	D

Stock 110.09

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

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 73.51	04/03/2017		M	2,291	<u>(5)</u>	01/01/2024	Common Stock	2,291

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Chodakewitz Jeffrey
C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED
50 NORTHERN AVENUE
BOSTON, MA 02210

EVP GMDA, CMO

Signatures

Omar White,
Attorney-In-Fact 04/05/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).

(1) Transaction made pursuant to Dr. Chodakewitz's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.

(2)

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Dr. Chodakewitz 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 \$108.50 (range \$108.07 to \$108.84).
- (4) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$109.32 (range \$109.09 to \$109.70).
- (5) The option vests in 16 quarterly installments from 01/02/2014.

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