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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Sachdev Amit

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [VRTX]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

10% Owner Director X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 05/16/2016

Symbol

below) EVP, Policy, Access & Value

C/O VERTEX **PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED, 50 NORTHERN AVENUE**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

BOSTON, MA 02210

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of

(A)

or

Price

Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial

(Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

any

Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Following Reported Transaction(s) Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Common 05/16/2016 Code Amount (D) (Instr. 3 and 4)

 $S^{(1)}$ D 86,096 D 117 Stock 81.67

Common 882 I 401(k) Stock

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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sachdev Amit C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED 50 NORTHERN AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02210

EVP, Policy, Access &

Value

Signatures

Omar White, Attorney-In-Fact 05/18/2016

**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 Mr. Sachdev's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.

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