

MARINUS PHARMACEUTICALS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
VITULLO NICOLE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES,
 LLC, ONE PALMER SQUARE**

(Street)

PRINCETON, NJ 08542

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**MARINUS PHARMACEUTICALS
 INC [MRNS]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
01/17/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/17/2017		A	(A) 4,500 (1)	\$ 0 7,800	D	
Common Stock					2,476,886	I	By Domain Partners VI, L.P. (3)
Common Stock					17,000	I	By DP VI Associates, L.P. (3)
Common Stock					42,550	I	By Domain Associates,

LLC ⁽³⁾

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.21	01/17/2017		A	10,500	⁽²⁾ 01/17/2027	Common Stock	10,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
VITULLO NICOLE C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542	X	X		

Signatures

/s/ Lisa A. Kraeutler,
Attorney-in-Fact

01/19/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Represents shares of restricted stock which vest on 01/17/2018. Each share of restricted stock represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of Common Stock.

(2) The options vest in 12 equal monthly installments commencing 01/31/2017.

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The Reporting Person is a managing member of Domain Associates, LLC and a managing member of One Palmer Square Associates VI, LLC, the sole general partner of Domain Partners VI, L.P. and DP VI Associates, L.P. Pursuant to Instruction 4(b)(iv) of Form 4, the

- (3) Reporting Person has elected to report as indirectly beneficially owned the entire number of securities owned by each such entity, however she disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities, and any proceeds thereof, that exceed her pecuniary interest therein and/or that are not actually distributed to her.

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