## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Secor Alicia				uer Name <b>and</b> Ticke <u>Therapeutics,</u>				tionship of Reporti all applicable) Director	10%	(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify		
(Last) 700 PARK OF	(First) FICES DRIVE	(Middle)		te of Earliest Transa 8/2024	ction (Month/D	ay/Year)		Officer (give title below)	belo			
(Street) RESEARCH TRIANGLE NC 27709 PARK				mendment, Date of	Original Filed	Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  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. Transa				2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A	) or	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature		

### Execution Date, Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Securities (Month/Day/Year) if any Code (Instr. Beneficially (Month/Day/Year 8) Owned Following

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect of Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code Amount  $D^{(1)(2)}$ (1)(2) Common Stock 09/18/2024 20,000 D 10,000 D  $U^{(3)}$ 09/18/2024 (3) 0 D Common Stock 10.000 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)	4. 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Inst 3, 4 and 5)		ivative urities uired or oosed O) (Instr.	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	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)	\$2.99	09/18/2024		D <sup>(4)</sup>			30,000	(4)	06/13/2034	Common Stock	30,000	(4)	0	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.83	09/18/2024		D <sup>(4)</sup>			30,000	(4)	06/15/2033	Common Stock	30,000	(4)	0	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$5.3	09/18/2024		D <sup>(4)</sup>			30,000	(4)	06/23/2032	Common Stock	30,000	(4)	0	D	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Pursuant to the terms of that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement"), dated as of August 6, 2024, among the Issuer, Pharmacosmos A/S, a Danish Aktieselskab ("Parent"), and Genesis Merger Sub, Inc. ("Purchaser"), an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Parent, Purchaser completed a tender offer for shares of common stock of the Issuer and harmonic than 18 to the Issuer (the "Merger"), effective as of September 18, 2024, with the Issuer surviving the Merger. At the effective time of the Merger (the "Effective Time"), each outstanding share of Issuer common stock was cancelled and converted into the right to receive \$7.15 per share in cash, without interest and subject to any applicable withholding taxes (the "Merger Consideration").
- 2. (Continued from footnote 1) Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, at the Effective Time, each outstanding deferred stock unit (whether vested or unvested) was deemed to have vested and was cancelled and automatically converted into the right to receive an amount in cash equal to the Merger Consideration
- 3. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, at the Effective Time, each share of common stock held by the Reporting Person was tendered in exchange for the Merger Consideration
- 4. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, at the Effective Time, each option to purchase shares of common stock (each "Stock Option") that was outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time became fully vested and was cancelled at the Effective Time and converted into the right to receive an amount in cash equal to the product of (x) the total number of shares of common stock subject to such Stock Option immediately prior to the Effective Time multiplied by (y) the excess, if any, of the Merger Consideration over the applicable exercise price per share under such Stock Option.

/S/ Monica Roberts Thomas, attorney-in-fact

09/18/2024

\*\* 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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