FORM 4

obligations may continue. See

Instruction 1(b)

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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				or Sec	tion 30(h) of the Inv	estmer/	nt Com	pany Act of 19	940							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Braunstein Scott					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. [ESPR]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
					•				X	Director	10% (Owner				
(Last) C/O ESPERION			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/09/2016							Officer (give title below)	Other below	(specify)				
3891 RANCHERO DRIVE, SUITE 150					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) ANN ARBOR	MI								Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(State)	(Zip)														
		Table I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	ecurities Acqu	uired,	Disp	osed of, o	r Ben	eficially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D					2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities / Disposed Of (5)		. 3, 4 and	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			1		1	Code	I V	Amount	ו ער) טי	Drico	Transaction(s)	1	1			

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

Expiration Date

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Number

Derivative

Securities

Transaction Code (Instr. 8)

Code

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6. Date Exercisable and

Amount

(iiisti. 3)	Derivative Security		(WOHUIDAY/TEAT)	0)		Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		(ilisti. 5)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.75	06/09/2016		A		8,000		(1)	06/09/2026	Common Stock	8,000	\$0	8,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Conversion

or Exercise

Price of

1. Title of Derivative

Security (Instr. 3)

1. The options vest in full on the earlier of (i) June 9, 2017 and (ii) the Issuer's next annual meeting of stockholders following June 9, 2016.

/s/ Richard B. Bartram, by power of attorney

(A) or (D)

7. Title and

Amount of

Securities Underlying

Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

9. Number of

derivative

Securities

Beneficially

11. Nature

of Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

Ownership

Direct (D)

Form:

8. Price of

Derivative

Security

(Instr. 5)

06/10/2016

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

3A. Deemed

if any (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date

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

3. Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

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