Common Stock

FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person (Check all applicable) Keros Therapeutics, Inc. [ KROS ] Regnante Keith Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify X 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) below) below) (Middle) (Last) (First) 06/08/2023 Chief Financial Officer C/O KEROS THERAPEUTICS, INC. 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 1050 WALTHAM STREET, SUITE 302 Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person (Street) Form filed by More than One Reporting **LEXINGTON** 02421 MA Person Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication (City) (State) (Zip) Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Execution Date if any Transaction Code (Instr. Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect of Indirect Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 8) Owned Following (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Code ν Price Amount (Instr. 3 and 4)

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17,301

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

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transac<br>Code (li<br>8) |   | of<br>Deri<br>Sec<br>Acq<br>(A) o<br>Disp<br>of (I | 5. Number of Expiration Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 |                     | nd 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                 | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
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|   |   |  |   | Code                            | v | and<br>(A)   |   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date  | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares              |  | ,  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)    | <b>\$16</b>   | 06/08/2023                                 |   | M <sup>(1)</sup>                |   |  | 20,000  | (7)                 | 04/06/2030  | Common<br>Stock | 20,000  | \$0.00   | 113,622  | D  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)    | \$16  | 06/09/2023                                 |   | M <sup>(1)</sup>                |   |  | 20,000  | (7)                 | 04/06/2030  | Common<br>Stock | 20,000  | \$0.00   | 93,622   | D  |  |

## Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on March 8, 2023.

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- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$47.12 to \$48.095 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$48.12 to \$48.935 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 4. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$45.00 to \$45.995 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 5. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$46.015 to \$47.01 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 6. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$47.015 to \$47.60 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 7. One-fourth (1/4th) of the shares subject to the option shall vest on February 24, 2021, and one-twelfth (1/12th) of the remaining shares subject to the option shall vest in equal quarterly installments thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person continuing to provide service through each such date.

Remarks:

/s/ Keith Regnante

06/12/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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