### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### ATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Doberstein Stephen K						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS [ NKTR ]									all appli Direct	,		vner	
	st) (First) (Middle) D NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS D MISSION BAY BOULEVARD SOUTH					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2016									below)		Scien	below)	· ·
(Street) SAN FRANCE			94158	4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S		(Zip)	n Dori	votive				auirad	Dia	on o o o d	of or Bo	nofici	ally	Owno.	4			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day)				action	tion 2A. I Exec y/Year) if an		A. Deemed xecution Date,		quired, Disposed of 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securit Disposed			d (A) or	5. Amor Securiti Benefic Owned		int of es ially Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			02/16	/2016				М		875	A	\$0.0	001	8	875		D	
Common	Stock			02/17	/2016				S		390	D	\$11.9	92 <sup>(1)</sup>	4	485 D			
		Т	able II -								osed of converti	•		•	wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		on of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r					
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.0001	02/16/2016			D			875	02/16/201	6	02/16/2016	Common Stock	875		\$0.00	9,625	I	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$11.46 to \$12.12. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares and the prices at which the transactions were effected upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

# Remarks:

Gil M. Labrucherie, Attorneyin-Fact

02/18/2016

\*\* 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).
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