BOGER JOSHUA S

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BOGER JOSHUA S**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [VRTX]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2012

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify

C/O VERTEX **PHARMACEUTICALS**

INCORPORATED, 130 WAVERLY

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/23/2012		M	4,000	A	\$ 15.6	636,895	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	3,400	D	\$ 62.68 (2) (3)	633,495	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	600	D	\$ 63.65 (3) (4)	632,895	D	

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Common Stock Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benefit		00,000 rectly.	I	Common Stock held in trust. (5)
Common Stock	13	3,286	I	401(k)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ive Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 15.6	05/23/2012		M	4,000	<u>(6)</u>	01/17/2013	Common Stock	4,000

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Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Ad	Relationships					
-	g o mass runne production		10% Owner	Officer	Other	
BOGER JOSHUA S C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS 130 WAVERLY ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139	INCORPORATED	X				
Signatures						
David T. Howton, Attorney-In-Fact	05/24/2012					

Date

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Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Transaction made pursuant to Dr. Boger's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$62.68 (range \$62.24 to \$62.98).
- (3) Dr. Boger undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$63.65 (range \$63.27 to \$63.80).
- (5) Common stock held in grantor retained annuity trusts.
- (6) Fully vested.

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