FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Instruction 1(b) 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 (Check all applicable) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person AQUINOX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC [ LEVITT DANIEL J Director 10% Owner AQXP ] Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) C/O AQUINOX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 05/09/2016 450 - 887 GREAT NORTHERN WAY 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) (Street) X Form filed by One Reporting Person VANCOUVER A1 V5T 4T5 Form filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature Execution Date. Transaction Securities Form: Direct of Indirect if any (Month/Day/Year) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 5) Beneficially Beneficial Owned Following 8) Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) ٧ Code Amount Price (Instr. 3 and 4) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 11. Nature Derivative Conversion **Execution Date** Transaction Expiration Date Amount of Derivative derivative Ownership of Indirect (Month/Day/Year) Beneficial Security (Instr. 3) or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. Derivative Securities Underlying Security Securities orm: if any (Month/Day/Year) Direct (D) 8) Price of Securities (Instr. 5) Beneficially Ownership Acquired Owned Following or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security (A) or Disposed Reported Transaction(s) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 (Instr. 4) and 5)

### Explanation of Responses:

\$7,73

1. The shares subject to this option shall vest and become exercisable at a rate of 1/12th of the total number of shares underlying the options on the one-month anniversary of the vesting commencement date and 1/12th of the total number of shares underlying the options each monthly anniversary of the vesting commencement date thereafter for so long as the recipient of the option provides continuous service to the issuer, such that the total number of shares underlying the options shall be fully vested on the one-year anniversary of the vesting commencement date.

Exercisable

(1)

Date

05/08/2026

### Remarks:

Stock Option

Buy)

(Right to

/s/ Daniel Levitt

Title

Commo

Stock

05/11/2016

7,500

D

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Amount or Number of Shares

7,500

\$0.00

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).

05/09/2016

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Code

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(A)

7,500

(D)

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