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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SANDELL SCOTT D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RHYTHM PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [RYTM]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)													Officer (gi below)	ve title		Other (s below)	pecify	
1954 GREENSPRING DRIVE SUITE 600					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/10/2017																
(Street)	UM N	MD	21093		4. If Amendment, Date of 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 Person							
(City)	(State)	(Zip)																		
			Table I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Se	curities Ac	cquir	ed, D	isp	osed o	of, or	Ber	nefic	ially O	wned					
Dat			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ır)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				Beneficially Following F		Form:	Direct Indirect tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								ode V	<i>,</i>	Amount		(A) c (D)	r	Price	Transaction (Instr. 3 and	(S) 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				10/10	10/2017				С		1,402,870		A		(1)	1,432,	248			See Note 2 ⁽²⁾	
Common Stock				10/10)/10/2017				С		2,927,708		A		(1)	4,359,956				See Note 2 ⁽²⁾	
Common Stock 10/				10/10	0/2017			P		550,000		A		\$17	4,909,956				See Note 2 ⁽²⁾		
							urities Acq s, warrants									ned		,			
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. Transaction Code (Instr) 8)				Expir	ate Exerc ration D ath/Day/	ate	Secu		itle and Amour urities Underly vative Security d 4)		lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported	ve es ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Ex Da	piration ate	Title			unt or per of es		Transactio (Instr. 4)	tion(s)			
Series A Preferred Stoc	(1)	10/10/2017		С			1,402,870 ⁽³⁾		(1)		(1)	Comm		1,40	2,870 ⁽³⁾	\$0.00	0		I	See Note 2 ⁽²⁾	
Series A-1 Junior	(1)	10/10/2017		С			2,927,708 ⁽³⁾		(1)		(1)	Comr	non	2,92	7,708 ⁽³⁾	\$0.00	0		I	See Note	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. In connection with the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, each share of the Issuer's series A convertible preferred stock (the "Series A Preferred") and series A-1 junior preferred stock (the "Series A-1 Preferred") converted into the Issuer's common stock on a 9.17-for-one basis without payment or consideration. The Series A Preferred and the Series A-1 Preferred had no expiration date.
- 2. The Reporting Person is a director of NEA 13 GP, LTD, which is the sole general partner of NEA Partners 13, L.P. ("NEA Partners 13"). NEA Partners 13 is the sole general partner of New Enterprise Associates 13, L.P. ("NEA 13"), which is the direct beneficial owner of the securities. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership, within the meaning of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise of such portion of the NEA 13 shares in which the Reporting Person has no pecuniary interest.
- 3. Reflects the number of shares of Series A Preferred and Series A-1 Preferred, as applicable, held by the Reporting Person on an as-converted to common stock basis.

Remarks:

Preferred

/s/ Sasha Keough, attorney-in-

10/10/2017

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fact

Stock

** 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).
- ** 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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