FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Fiedorek Fred T.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RHYTHM PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
FIGURER FIGU 1.					RY	RYTM ]									or		10% Ov	· I	
(Loot)	_	•								X Officer (give title Other (specify below)									
(Last) (First) (Middle) 500 BOYLSTON STREET, 11TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2018								Chief Medical Officer						
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(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City) (State) (Zip)														Person					
		Tab	le I - Non-	Deriva	ative	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, D	ispose	ed o	f, or Be	neficia	lly Owne	d				
1. Title of	ction 2A. Deemed				3.	4. S	4. Securities Acquired (A)			5. Amo	nt of 6. (			7. Nature of Indirect					
Date (Mo				th/Day/Year)		Execution Date, if any		Code (Ins				u. 3, 4 an	Benefic	ially (D)		r Indirect	Beneficial Ownership		
						۱'	(Month/Day/Yea		ar) 8)			(A) or		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		(I) (Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)	
									Code V	Ame	ount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3					
		-	Table II - D	erivat	ive	Secu	ırities	Acq	uired, Dis	posed	d of,	or Ben	eficiall	/ Owned					
									, options,					•					
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/Ye	ate, Ti	4. Transa Code (I 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	nd	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
				c	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	tion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$25.79	02/14/2018			A		25,000		(1)	02/13/2	2028	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	25,000		D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$25.79	02/14/2018			A		25,000		(2)	02/13/2	2028	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	25,000		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. This option was granted on February 14, 2018 and the shares underlying this option vest in sixteen equal quarterly installments.
- 2. This option was granted on February 14, 2018 and the shares underlying this option shall vest upon completion of a milestone.

/s/ Hunter S. Smith, attorneyin-fact for Fred Fiedorek

02/16/2018

\*\* 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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