FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Davidson Matt						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Verrica Pharmaceuticals Inc. [VRCA]									all app Direct Office	er (give title	g Perso X	10% O	wner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERRICA PHARMACEUTICALS INC. 10 NORTH HIGH STREET, SUITE 200						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2018									belov	w)		below)		
(Street) WEST CHESTE (City)			.9380 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	·					
		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriva	ative	Seci	uritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or B	enefic	cially	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					and 5) Seco Ben Owr		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	e	Transa	eported ansaction(s) estr. 3 and 4)			(111501.4)					
Common Stock 12/14/20						018		S ⁽¹⁾		700	D	\$10).07 ⁽²⁾	3,1	103,023	D				
Common Stock 12/17/20					018		S ⁽¹⁾		1,305	D	\$9	.94 ⁽³⁾		3,101,718)				
Common Stock 12/18/20					018		S ⁽¹⁾		2,210	D	\$9	.19 ⁽⁴⁾ 3,		3,099,508)				
	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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				4. Transa Code (I B)			6. Date Expirati (Month/	on Da			Deri Seci (Insi	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number o derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dire or I (I) (Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date		Amoun or Numbe of Shares							

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These sales were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on June 22, 2018.
- 2. The price reported is a weighted average sales price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$10.00 to \$10.18, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 3. The price reported is a weighted average sales price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$9.60 to \$10.13, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this
- 4. The price reported is a weighted average sales price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.80 to \$9.60, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this

Remarks:

/s/ Mark Ballantyne, Attorney-

12/18/2018

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** 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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