FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Nguyen Diem				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Verrica Pharmaceuticals Inc. [VRCA]							(Ch	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)		irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/08/2023							X Director Officer below)	(give title		10% Ow Other (s below)		
C/O VERRICA PHARMACEUTICALS INC. 44 WEST GAY STREET, SUITE 400			4. If a	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
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(City)		tate)	(Zip)	- _	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.												
		Tab	le I - Non-Dei	ivative	Se	curities	s Ac	quired, D	isp	osed c	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owne	t			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D			nsaction :h/Day/Yea	Execution Date,		Code (Ins	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, Code (Instr. 5)				Benefici Owned	es F ally (Following (Form (D) o	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Transac	Reported Transaction(s) (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 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/Yea	Code (Ir	Transaction Code (Instr.		n of		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title an Amount o Securities Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 and	f g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v			Date Exercisable		piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$5.7	06/08/2023		A		10,384		(1)	06	/07/2033	Common Stock	10,384	\$0.00	10,384	1	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares underlying this option shall vest and become exercisable in 12 equal monthly installments beginning on July 8, 2023 and, in any event, will be fully vested on the date of the next annual meeting of stockholders, subject to continued service as a director though the applicable vesting date.

Remarks:

/s/ Mark Ballantyne, Attorneyin-Fact ** Signature of Reporting Person

06/12/2023

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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