FORM 4

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* White Ted						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Verrica Pharmaceuticals Inc. [VRCA]										olicable)		Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERRICA PHARMACEUTICALS INC. 10 NORTH HIGH STREET, SUITE 200						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/14/2018									Offic below	,	Other below t and CEO	(specify)
(Street) WEST CHESTER PA 19380				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indir Line) X	Forn Forn	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)															
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/						Execution Date,			3. 4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 8)					Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		e	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 08/14/20)18			P		1,905	A \$15		5.47 ⁽¹⁾		6,405	D	
Common Stock 08/15/20)18			P		600	A \$16		16.4	7,005		D	
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)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			4. Transa Code (1 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date Date Exercisable			Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		t r		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ Mark Ballantyne, Attorneyin-Fact

08/16/2018

** 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).
- ** 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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^{1.} This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$15.30 to \$15.57, inclusive. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.