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Form 4

October 29, 2014

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Silva Paul M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [VRTX]

(First) (Last) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

10/27/2014

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Director X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) SVP & Corp Controller

C/O VERTEX **PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED, 50 NORTHERN AVENUE**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date 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

BOSTON, MA 02210

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) Reported Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	10/27/2014		M	1,125	A	\$ 48.74	18,125	D	
Common Stock	10/27/2014		S(1)	119	D	\$ 108.54 (2) (3)	18,006	D	
Common Stock	10/27/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	490	D	\$ 109.43 (3) (4)	17,516	D	

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Common Stock	10/27/2014	S(1)	229	D	\$ 110.6 (3) (5)	17,287	D	
Common Stock	10/27/2014	S <u>(1)</u>	287	D	\$ 111.21 (3) (6)	17,000	D	
Common Stock						169	I	401(k)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 48.74	10/27/2014		M	1,125	<u>(7)</u>	07/24/2022	Common Stock	1,125

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Silva Paul M C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED 50 NORTHERN AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02210

SVP & Corp Controller

Signatures

Paul M. Silva 10/29/2014 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Silva's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$108.54 (range \$107.93 to \$108.83).
- (3) Mr. Silva undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$109.43 (range \$108.96 to \$109.93).
- (5) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$110.60 (range \$110.00 to \$110.95).
- (6) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$111.21 (range \$111.00 to \$111.64).
- (7) The option vests in 16 quarterly installments from 07/25/2012.

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