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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BOGER JOSHUA S**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS

(Check all applicable)

INC / MA [VRTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/16/2015

_X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

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 I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Year) Execution Date, if any		3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactiom Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	09/16/2015		M	10,400	A		355,684	D			
Common Stock	09/16/2015		S <u>(1)</u>	2,500	D	\$ 132.41 (2) (3)	353,184	D			
Common Stock	09/09/2015		S <u>(1)</u>	6,900	D	\$ 133.42 (2) (4)	346,284	D			

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.									
Common Stock						122,700	I	Common Stock held in trust	
Common Stock						13,286	I	401(k)	
Common Stock	09/16/2015	S(1)	1,000	D	\$ 134.09 (2) (5)	345,284	D		

$\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

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)	TransactionDerivative Code Securities		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)	\$ 35.64	09/16/2015		M	1	10,400	<u>(6)</u>	02/01/2016	Common Stock	10,400

Reporting Owners

Attorney-In-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Director	Relationsh	nips Officer	Other
BOGER JOSHUA S C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICAL 50 NORTHERN AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02210	S INCORPORATED	X			
Signatures					
Omar White,	0/10/2015				

09/18/2015

Date

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- ** 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 Dr. Boger's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Dr. Boger 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.
- (3) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$132.41 (range \$131.86 to \$132.81).
- (4) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$133.42 (range \$132.89 to \$133.81).
- (5) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$134.09 (range \$133.90 to \$134.37).
- (6) Fully vested.

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