FATE THERAPEUTICS INC

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TAHL CINDY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

FATE THERAPEUTICS INC

[FATE]

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Director

(Month/Day/Year)

01/08/2016

General Counsel and Secretary

C/O FATE THERAPEUTICS. INC.;, 3535 GENERAL ATOMICS **COURT #200**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

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

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price (D)

Common Stock

01/08/2016

Code V Amount 6,633 Α (1)

\$0 53,509 D

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)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4, an 5)	Expiration I (Month/Day or D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.9	01/08/2016		A	135,600	(2)	01/07/2026	Common Stock	135,600	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TAHL CINDY C/O FATE THERAPEUTICS, INC.; 3535 GENERAL ATOMICS COURT #200 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

General Counsel and Secretary

Signatures

/s/ Cindy R. 01/12/2016 Tahl

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Represents shares issued pursuant to the Company's 2013 Stock Option and Incentive Plan as a portion of a bonus earned by the reporting person for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015.
- The shares subject to this option shall vest and become exercisable in 48 equal monthly installments beginning on February 8, 2016 such that this option is fully exercisable on January 8, 2020.
- (3) Not applicable.

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