#### VITULLO NICOLE

Form 4

December 08, 2017

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Issuer

\_X\_ Director

January 31, 2005

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. [ESPR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Symbol

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

VITULLO NICOLE

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(First)

(Middle)

See Instruction

C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC, ONE PALMER SQUARE			2017				Deficer (give title below)  Other (specify below)				
			nendment, l onth/Day/Ye	Date Origina ear)	l		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)				
PRINCET					_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie omr Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I	<b>O</b> )	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	12/06/2017		J <u>(1)</u>	329,083	D	(1)	1,887,852	I	By Domain Partners VII, L.P. (2)		
Common Stock	12/06/2017		J <u>(1)</u>	3,291	A	(1)	32,560	I	By One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC (3)		
Common Stock	12/06/2017		S	9,326	D	\$ 53.85 (4)	25,927	I	By DP VII Associates, L.P. (5)		

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Common Stock	12/08/2017	J <u>(6)</u>	32,560	D	<u>(6)</u>	0	I	By One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC (3)
Common Stock	12/08/2017	J <u>(6)</u>	2,472	A	<u>(6)</u>	2,472	D	
Common Stock						21,471	I	By Domain Associates, LLC (7)
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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	ant of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
VITULLO NICOLE C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE PRINCETON, NJ 08542	X							
Signatures								
/s/ Lisa A. Kraeutler,	12/	08/2017						

Attorney-in-Fact

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12/08/2017

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **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) Distribution of shares in kind by Domain Partners VII, L.P. to its partners, including 3,291 shares to One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC, the sole general partner of Domain Partners VII, L.P.
  - As a managing member of One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC, the sole general partner of Domain Partners VII, L.P., the Reporting Person may be deemed to indirectly beneficially own the shares of Common Stock held by Domain Partners VII, L.P. Pursuant to
- (2) Instruction 4(b)(iv) of Form 4, the Reporting Person has elected to report as indirectly beneficially owned the entire number of securities owned by Domain Partners VII, L.P, however she disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities, and any proceeds thereof, that exceed her pecuniary interest therein and/or that are not actually distributed to her.
  - As a managing member of One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC, the Reporting Person may be deemed to indirectly beneficially own the shares of Common Stock held by One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC. Pursuant to Instruction 4(b)(iv) of Form 4, the Reporting
- (3) Person has elected to report as indirectly beneficially owned the entire number of securities owned by One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC, however she disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities, and any proceeds thereof, that exceed her pecuniary interest therein and/or that are not actually distributed to her.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$53.61 to \$54.15. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
  - As a managing member of One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC, the sole general partner of DP VII Associates, L.P., the Reporting Person may be deemed to indirectly beneficially own the shares of Common Stock held by DP VII Associates, L.P. Pursuant to
- (5) Instruction 4(b)(iv) of Form 4, the Reporting Person has elected to report as indirectly beneficially owned the entire number of securities owned by DP VII Associates, L.P., however she disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities, and any proceeds thereof, that exceed her pecuniary interest therein and/or that are not actually distributed to her.
- (6) Distribution of shares in kind by One Palmer Square Associates VII, LLC to its members.
  - As a managing member of Domain Associates, LLC, the Reporting Person may be deemed to indirectly beneficially own the shares of Common Stock held by Domain Associates, LLC. Pursuant to Instruction 4(b)(iv) of Form 4, the Reporting Person has elected to report
- (7) as indirectly beneficially owned the entire number of securities owned by Domain Associates, LLC, however she disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities, and any proceeds thereof, that exceed her pecuniary interest therein and/or that are not actually distributed to her

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