FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BREITMEYER JAMES B						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Oncternal Therapeutics, Inc. [ ONCT ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ONCTERNAL THERAPEUTICS, INC. 12230 EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 300						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/18/2019									X Officer (give title below)  President, CEO					
(Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92130  (City) (State) (Zip)					4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	/ativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	nefic	cially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						ear)   i	A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year		Transaction Dispo			rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		and Securitie Beneficia		s ally ollowing	Form:	Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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		-	Table II -								osed of, converti				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date		of Securities			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						
Stock Options	\$0.81	06/18/2019			A		42,196		(1)	1	11/14/2028	Common Stock	42,3	196	\$0.00	42,196		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. On November 14, 2018, the reporting person was granted an award of stock options that vest upon the achievement of certain pre-established strategic milestones. On June 18, 2019, the Compensation Committee of the Issuer's board of directors determined that one such strategic milestone had been achieved, resulting in the vesting of options to purchase 42,196 shares of the Issuer's common stock.

## Remarks:

/s/ Hazel M. Aker, Attorney-in-

06/20/2019

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\*\* 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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