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 * Canute Scott A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROTEON THERAPEUTICS INC [PRTO]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PROTEON THERAPEUTICS, INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/08/2018							Officer below)	(give title	Other below	(specify	
200 WEST STREET					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street) WALTHAM MA		A	02451								Line	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			I	
(City)	(Si	ate)	(Zip)													
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				ate	Execution Dat			, Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 aı		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)		(instr. 4)		
	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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Cod	nsaction de (Instr.			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactior (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	de V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.5	06/08/2018		A		12,700		(1)	06/07/2028	Common Stock	12,700	\$0	12,700	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The options were granted on June 8, 2018 and the shares underlying this option will vest 100% at the earlier of (i) June 8, 2019 and (ii) the Issuer's next annual meeting of stockholders.

/s/ George A. Eldridge,

06/11/2018 attorney-in fact for Scott

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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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