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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Birner Hubert					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROTEON THERAPEUTICS INC [PRTO]										ionship of F all applicat Director	ole)	Person(10% Ow	ner	
(Last) C/O TVM OTTOST	I CAPITAL	irst) . GROUP	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/27/2014										Officer (g below)	ive title		Other (sp below)	pecify	
(Street) MUNICH 2M 80333						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	City) (State) (Zip)																			
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1. Title of S	ecurity (Insti	r. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Exe if ar	Deemed cution I ny onth/Day	Date,	3. Transa Code (I 8)	ction Instr.	4. Securi 3, 4 and	ities Acquired 5)	i (A) c	or Dispos	sed Of (I	O) (Instr	Securiti Benefici	es ially Following	Form:	Direct Indirect It. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code V		Amount			(A) or (D) Price			Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common	Stock		10/27/2014				P		2:	23,410 ⁽¹⁾		A	\$	510	223	3,410		I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾	
Common	Stock		10/27/2014				P		7	76,590 ⁽¹⁾		A	\$	510	300),000		I !	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾	
Common	Stock		10/27/2014				С		1,107,1	. 54 (4)(5)(6)(7)((8)(9)	A	(4)(5)(6	5)(7)(8)(9	1,40	7,154		I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾	
Common	Stock		10/27/2014				С		379,46	52 ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾⁽⁷⁾⁽⁸)(10)	A	(4)(5)(6))(7)(8)(10	1,78	6,616		I !	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾	
Common	Stock		10/27/2014				X ⁽¹¹⁾		110	6,511 ⁽¹¹⁾⁽⁵⁾		A	\$4.6	023 ⁽¹¹⁾	1,90	3,127		I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾	
Common	Stock		10/27/2014				X ⁽¹²⁾		39) ,932 ⁽¹²⁾⁽⁵⁾		A	\$4.6	023 ⁽¹²⁾	1,94	3,059		I S	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. (3)	
			Table II - De											y Ow	ned					
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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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)	action (Instr.	Deri Sec Acq or D	umber of ivative urities uired (A) bisposed of (Instr. 3, 4	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/)	ate	7. Title and A Securities U Derivative S 3 and 4)	Amount of nderlying ecurity (Instr.	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares			Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	(4)	10/27/2014		С			4,468,482	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	335,680 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾
Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	(4)	10/27/2014		С			1,531,518	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	115,051 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾
Series A-1 Convertible Preferred Stock	(6)	10/27/2014		С			2,092,735	(6)	(6)	Common Stock	160,779 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾
Series A-1 Convertible Preferred Stock	(6)	10/27/2014 ⁽⁶⁾		С			717,260	(6)	(6)	Common Stock	55,105 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	(7)	10/27/2014		С			2,436,618	(7)	(7)	Common Stock	189,063(5)	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	(7)	10/27/2014		С			835,121	(7)	(7)	Common Stock	64,799 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾
Series C Convertible Preferred Stock	(8)	10/27/2014		С			2,331,391	(8)	(8)	Common Stock	180,898(5)	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾
Series C Convertible Preferred Stock	(8)	10/27/2014		С			799,043	(8)	(8)	Common Stock	61,999(5)	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾
Series D Convertible Preferred Stock	(9)	10/27/2014		С			3,727,823	(9)	(9)	Common Stock	234,897 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾
Series D Convertible Preferred Stock	(10)	10/27/2014		С			1,277,663	(10)	(10)	Common Stock	80,508 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾
Warrants (Right to Buy)	\$4.6023	10/27/2014		х			116,511	(11)	(11)	Common Stock	116,511 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾
Warrants (Right to Buy)	\$4.6023	10/27/2014		х			39,932	(12)	(12)	Common Stock	39,932 ⁽⁵⁾	\$0	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾
Option (Right to Purchase)	(13)	10/27/2014		J			1,316,683	(13)	(13)	Series D Convertible Preferred Stock	82,966 ⁽⁵⁾	(13)	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI GmbH & Co. KG ⁽²⁾
Option (Right to Purchase)	(14)	10/27/2014		J			451,276	(14)	(14)	Series D Convertible Preferred Stock	28,455 ⁽⁵⁾	(14)	0	I	By TVM Life Science Ventures VI, L.P. ⁽³⁾

Explanation of Responses:

- 2. The shares are directly held by TVM Life Science Ventures VI GMBH & Co. KG ("TVM VI"). The reporting person, Alexandra Goll ("Goll"), Helmut Schuhsler ("Schuhsler") and Stefan Fischer ("Fischer") are members of the investment committee of TVM Life Science Ventures Management VI L.P. ("TVM VI Management"), a special limited partner of TVM VI, with voting and dispositive power over the shares held by TVM VI. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by TVM VI, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- 3. The shares are directly held by TVM Life Science Ventures VI L.P. ("TVM VI LP"). The reporting person, Goll, Schuhsler and Fischer are members of the investment committee of TVM VI Management, a special limited partner of TVM VI LP, with voting and dispositive power over the shares held by TVM VI LP. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by TVM VI LP, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- 4. Upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into Common Stock on a 1-for-1.19 basis without payment of further consideration and with no expiration date.
- 5. Reflects a 1-for-15.87 reverse stock split effected on October 6, 2014.
- 6. Upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, each share of Series A-1 Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into Common Stock on a 1-for-1.22 basis without payment of further consideration and has no expiration date.
- 7. Upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, each share of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into Common Stock on a 1-for-1.23 basis without payment of further consideration and has no expiration date.
- 8. Upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, each share of Series C Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into Common Stock on a 1-for-1.23 basis without payment of further consideration and has no expiration date.
- 9. Upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, each share of Series D Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into Common Stock on a one-for-one basis (without payment of further consideration and with no expiration date) plus an additional 5,837 incremental shares as a result of an adjustment as provided for in the Company's certificate of incorporation.
- 10. Upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, each share of Series D Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into Common Stock on a one-for-one basis (without payment of further consideration and with no expiration date) plus an additional 2,000 incremental shares as a result of an adjustment as provided for in the Company's certificate of incorporation.
- 11. Upon the closing the Issuer's initial public offering, TVM VI exercised their warrants with cash to purchase common stock.
- 12. Upon the closing the Issuer's initial public offering, TVM VI LP exercised their warrants with cash to purchase common stock.
- 13. TVM VI had a right to purchase shares of Series D Convertible Preferred Stock under the Series D Purchase Agreement at a price of \$0.588656, which right to purchase ceased to be exercisable upon the initial filing of the Issuer's registration statement for its initial public offering, and terminated upon the completion of the Issuer's initial public offering of Common Stock. Each share of Series D Preferred Stock issuable upon exercise of the right to purchase would have been convertible into shares of the Issuer's common stock as described in footnote (9) above.
- 14. TVM VI LP had a right to purchase shares of Series D Convertible Preferred Stock under the Series D Purchase Agreement at a price of \$0.588656, which right to purchase ceased to be exercisable upon the initial filling of the Issuer's registration statement for its initial public offering, and terminated upon the completion of the Issuer's initial public offering of Common Stock. Each share of Series D Preferred Stock issuable upon exercise of the right to purchase would have been convertible into shares of the Issuer's common stock as described in footnote (10) above.

/s/ Rolf Stark by power of attorney for Hubert Birner 10.

10/29/2014

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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