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### 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 Addr Freund John		g Person <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>PROTEON THERAPEUTICS INC</u> [ PRTO ]	(Check	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
					Director	10% Owner			
(Last) SKYLINE VE	(First) NTURES	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/09/2016		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
525 UNIVERS	SITY AVENU	E, SUITE 1350							
,			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	/idual or Joint/Group Fili	ing (Check Applicable			
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Re	eporting Person			
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(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)	te Execution Date, Tr		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	<ul> <li>Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)</li> </ul>		(1130.4)

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 ( 8)		5. Nun of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)	tive ities red sed 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Expiration Date Amount of		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$5.9	06/09/2016		A		6,666		(1)	06/08/2026	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	6,666	\$0	6,666	D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The options were granted on June 9, 2016 and the shares underlying this option will vest 100% at the earlier of (i) June 9, 2017 and (ii) the Issuer's next annual meeting of stockholders.

<u>/s/ George A. Eldridge as</u>
<u>attorney-in-fact for John</u>
Freund

06/14/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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