FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Toner E. Scott							PROTEON THERAPEUTICS INC [ PRTO ]									Director Officer (give title			Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PROTEON THERAPEUTICS							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/29/2017									belov	v) ``	belo of Marketing	,		
200 WEST STREET																					
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451					_   4. If	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						
(City) (State) (Zip)					-											Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, oı	Ben	efici	ally O	wne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. 5)			ies Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secu Bene Own		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership		
										v	Amount	1	(A) or (D)	Price	.  т	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 12/29/						7			A <sup>(1)</sup>	V	5,531		A	\$1.296		5 14,384		D			
		Та									sed of, onvertib				y Ow	ned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution E if any (Month/Day	Date, Transaction Code (Ins					6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	vative urity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or Nur of	ount nber ires							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The shares were acquired under the Issuer's 2014 Employee Stock Purchase Plan for the plan period of July 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 in a transaction that was exempt under both Rule 16b-3(d) and Rule 16b-3(c).

/s/ George A. Eldridge as

attorney-in-fact for E. Scott 01/03/2018

**Toner** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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