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* <u>Hartman Bradley J</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PROTEON THERAPEUTICS INC [PRTO]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PROTEON THERAPEUTICS, INC. 200 WEST STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2019								X Officer (give title below) below) VP, People					
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451 (City) (State) (Zip)				4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Non-D	Derivati	ve Se	curities	s Ac	quired, D	isposed	of, or B	enefic	ially	Owned					
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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	rsion Date rcise (Month/Day/Year) of tive	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	saction (Instr.			6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security		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)	
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Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.64	01/18/2019		A		70,000		(1)	01/17/202	Commo Stock, \$0.001 par valu	70,0	00	\$0	70,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The options were granted on January 18, 2019 and the shares underlying this option vest 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date and the remaining shares vest in twelve equal quarterly installments.

/s/ George A. Eldridge, attorney-in-fact

01/23/2019

** 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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