

Vertex Pharmaceuticals (Europe) Ltd

Form 4

December 26, 2018

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Vertex Pharmaceuticals (Europe) Ltd

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

CRISPR Therapeutics AG [CRSP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2 KINGDOM ST., 9TH FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

12/21/2018

____ Director ____X____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

LONDON, X0 W2 6BD

____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
__X__ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (1)	(A) or (D) Price (2)	
Common Shares	12/21/2018		P		22,742 (1)	\$ 22.5784 (2)	5,272,742 (1) D
Common Shares	12/24/2018		P		2,603 (1)	\$ 22.9147 (3)	5,275,345 (1) D
Common Shares	12/24/2018		P		11,742 (1)	\$ 23.1766 (4)	5,287,087 (1) D
Common Shares	12/24/2018		P		53,655 (1)	\$ 24.9687 (5)	5,340,742 (1) D

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Vertex Pharmaceuticals (Europe) Ltd 2 KINGDOM ST., 9TH FLOOR LONDON, X0 W2 6BD		X		
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA 50 NORTHERN AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02210		X		

Signatures

/s/ Ian F. Smith, on behalf of Vertex Pharmaceuticals (Europe)
Limited

12/26/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Ian F. Smith, on behalf of Vertex Pharmaceuticals Inc.

12/26/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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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Shares are directly held by Vertex Pharmaceuticals (Europe) Limited ("Vertex Europe"). Vertex Europe is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Vertex Pharmaceuticals Inc. Vertex Pharmaceuticals Inc. may be deemed to beneficially own the shares owned directly by Vertex Europe.

- (2) Represents the weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$22.46 and \$22.70.
- (3) Represents the weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$22.69 and \$23.00.
- (4) Represents the weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$23.02 and \$23.25.
- (5) Represents the weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$24.82 and \$25.00.

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