FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ROBERTS EIRY						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC NBIX							Officer (give title				10% Ov Other (s	vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12780 EL CAMINO REAL						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2021									Chief Medical Officer					
(Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92130					4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indi Line) X	′					
(City)	(S		(Zip)			l.														
		Tab	le I -	Non-Deri	ivativ	e Sec	curities	s Ac	quir	ed, D	isposed o	of, or B	enefic	cially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yes						Execution Date,		·,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followin Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Trans		ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 02/08/2022						1			S ⁽¹⁾		740 D		\$116.6	6711 ⁽²⁾	17,231			D		
Common Stock 02/08/2023					021	1			S ⁽³⁾		1,623	D	\$116.8	3252 ⁽⁴⁾	18	18,693		D		
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)	if any	eemed tion Date, n/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)			ve es d ed nstr.	Expiration (Month/Day			7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		[. Price of perivative security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sha	nber						
Stock Option	\$117.63	02/08/2021			A		44,632		((5)	02/08/2031	Commo Stock		632	\$0.00	44,632		D		
Restricted Stock Unit	(6)	02/08/2021			A		7,439			(7)	(7)	Commo Stock		139	\$0.00	7,439		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Sale of 740 shares of common stock issued upon vesting of 2,126 restricted stock units on February 8, 2021 to cover payroll and withholding taxes, with the balance of the shares (1,386) maintained by the Reporting Person. The disposition reported in this Form 4 was effected by a broker pursuant to instructions consistent with Rule 10b5-1 at least 60 days prior to the transaction date in Box 3 above.
- 2. Represents a weighted average sales price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$115.98 to \$117.20. The Reporting Person has provided to the issuer, and will provide to any security holder of the issuer or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- 3. Sale of 1,623 shares of common stock issued upon vesting of 3,085 restricted stock units on February 8, 2021 to cover payroll and withholding taxes, with the balance of the shares (1,462) maintained by the Reporting Person; the disposition reported in this Form 4 was effected by a broker pursuant to instructions set forth in a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person at least 60 days prior to the transaction date in Box 3 above. Additionally, Issuer policy restricts the Reporting Person from amending or otherwise modifying any 10b5-1 trading plan subsequent to adoption of the plan.
- 4. Represents a weighted average sales price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$115.99 to \$117.88. The Reporting Person has provided to the issuer, and will provide to any security holder of the issuer or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- 5. Represents option of which 1/48th of the shares underlying the option becomes vested and exercisable on March 8, 2021 and an additional 1/48th of the shares underlying the option becomes vested and exercisable each month thereafter.
- 6. Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer Common Stock.
- 7. The Restricted Stock Units will vest annually at 1/4 of the units vesting on each of February 8, 2022, February 8, 2023, February 8, 2024, and February 8, 2025.

Remarks:

/s/ Darin Lippoldt, Attorney-in-02/09/2021 **Fact**

** 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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