FORM 4

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Crigoriadic Dimitri F.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES INC NBIX								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
<u>Grigoriadis Dimitri E.</u>														Dire			Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle)						INDIA J								X	Offic belov			(specify v)
(Last)	,	, ,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									Chief Research Officer			
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(Stroot)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da		Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3)			and 5) Securi Benefi		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
								Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or Pric		e	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(11311.4)	
Common Stock 0				01/19/	2016		S ⁽¹⁾	V	1,625	D \$46.7		6.76 ⁽²⁾	76 ⁽²⁾ 108,558		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	Date Exe (Month/Day/Year) if ar	3A. Dee Execution if any (Month/			Transaction Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Sec (Ins	rice of vative urity tr. 5)	tive derivative sy Securities	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Sale of 1,625 shares of common stock issued upon vesting of 3,250 restricted stock units on January 19, 2016 to cover payroll and withholding taxes, with the balance of the shares (1,625) 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 90 days prior to the transaction date in Box 3 above. Additionally, Issuer policy restricts the Reporting Person from amending, canceling, suspending or otherwise modifying any 10b5-1 trading plan subsequent to adoption of the

2. Represents a weighted average sales price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$45.52 to \$48.81. 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.

Remarks:

/s/ Darin Lippoldt, Attorney-01/21/2016 In-Fact

** 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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