FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Eiger BioPharmaceuticals, Inc. [EIGR]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Last) (First) (Middle)					Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)								X Officer below)	(give title	Other below	(specify	
350 CAMBRIDGE AVE #350					01/05/2018								COO and Ex. Medical Officer				
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			Code (Instr.			red (A) or str. 3, 4 an	Benefici Owned F	s ally following (6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
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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	e (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo	Cod	nsaction le (Instr.	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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownersh Form: y Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)		
				Cod	ie V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share	s	(Instr. 4)			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$13.7	01/05/2018		A		150,000		(1)		01/04/2028	Common Stock	150,00	\$0.00	150,000	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests as follows: 25% of the shares subject to the option shall vest on the one-year anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date of January 3, 2018, with the remaining shares to vest in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service as of each such date.

Remarks:

/s/ James H. Welch, Attorney-01/08/2018 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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