FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Cory David A   |   |  |  |       |   |   | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Eiger BioPharmaceuticals, Inc. [ EIGR ] |     |   |       |  |   |                                    |   | Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable)     X    Director  Officer (give title)  |  |   | 10% Owner   |   |  |
|--|---|--|--|-------|---|---|---|-----|---|-------|--|---|------------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O EIGER BIOPHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 2155 PARK BLVD.   |   |  |  |       |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/21/2019 |   |     |   |       |  |   |                                    | X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and CEO            |   |  |   |   |   |  |
| (Street) PALO ALTO CA 94306  |   |  |  |       | _   4.<br>_                             |   |   |     |   |       |  |   |                                    |   | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |   |   |   |  |
| (City)   | (S  | tate)                                      | (Zip)  |       |   | Pelsuii   |   |     |   |       |  |   |                                    |   |   |  |   |   |   |  |
|  |   | Та   | ble I - No                                     |       |   | _   |   |     | quired                                  | , Dis | <del>-</del>   |   |                                    | ly Ov   | vned  |  |   |   |   |  |
| Date   |   |  |  |       | nsaction<br>n/Day/Ye                    | ear)   i  | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                         |     | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |       | 4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a |   |                                    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported |   | у  | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) |   | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |  |
|  |   |  |  |       |   |   |   |     | Code                                    | v     | Amount   | (A) or<br>(D)   | Price                              | Tra   | ansactio<br>str. 3 an   | n(s)<br>d 4)   |   |   | (msu. 4)  |  |
| Common Stock 03/0  |   |  |  |       |   | .7  |   |     | A                                       | V     | 1,325  | A   | \$8.20                             | 25  | 60,003(1)   |  |   | D   |   |  |
| Common Stock 09/05   |   |  |  |       |   | .7  |   |     | A                                       | V     | 1,500  | A   | \$9.90                             | 25  | 61,503 <sup>(1)</sup>   |  | D   |   |   |  |
| Common Stock 03/05/  |   |  |  |       |   | .8  |   |     | A                                       | V     | 1,500  | A   | \$8.03                             | 25  | 63,003 <sup>(1)</sup>   |  | D   |   |   |  |
| Common Stock 09/05/  |   |  |  |       |   | .8  |   |     | A                                       | V     | 1,500  | A   | \$7.94                             | 75  | 64,503(1)   |  | D   |   |   |  |
| Common Stock 03/05/  |   |  |  |       | )5/201                                  | /2019   |   |     | A                                       | V     | 1,500  | A   | \$7.94                             | .9475 60  |   | 66,003(1)  |   | D   |   |  |
| Common Stock   |   |  |  |       |   |   |   |     |   |       |  |   |                                    | 30,123  |   | I  |   | See<br>footnote <sup>(2)</sup>  |   |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |   |  |  |       |   |   |   |     |   |       |  |   |                                    |   |   |  |   |   |   |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deeme<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/Day | Date, | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |   | n Derivative I  |     | 6. Date E<br>Expiratio<br>(Month/D      | n Dat |  | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                    | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)                       | ivative<br>urity  | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transact | e<br>es<br>ally<br>g  | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)                 |  |
|  |   |  |  |       | Code                                    | e V   | (A)   | (D) | Date<br>Exercisa                        |       | Expiration<br>Date   | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Share | nt (Instr. er   | (Instr. 4)  |  |   |   |   |  |
| Stock<br>Option (<br>Right to<br>Buy)  | \$14.31   | 03/21/2019                                 |  |       | A                                       |   | 200,000   |     | (3)                                     |       | 03/20/2029   | Common<br>Stock   | 200,00                             | 0 \$  | \$0.00 200,0  |  | .000 D  |   |   |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Includes shares acquired under the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan in a transaction exempt under both Rule 16b-3(d) and Rule 16b-3(c).
- 2. Represents the Reporting Person's proportionate interest in securities held by Eiccose, LLC ("Eiccose"). The Reporting Person is a managing member and significant equity interest holder of Eiccose. The Reporting Person hereby disclaims any beneficial ownership of any shares directly held by Eiccose, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
- 3. The option vests in equal monthly installments over 48 months measured from March 21, 2019 subject to Reporting Person's continuous service status as of each such date.

## Remarks:

/s/ Sriram Ryali, Attorney-in-Fact 03/25/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

 $Reminder: Report on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$ 

- $^{\star}$  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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Sriram Ryali or Stephana Patton of Eiger BioPharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Company") and Carlton Fleming of Cooley LLP, signing individually, the undersigned's true and lawful attorneys-in fact and agents to:

- (1) prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of reports required by Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or any rule or regulation thereunder;
- (2) prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the SEC Forms 3, 4 and 5 (including amendments thereto and joint filing agreements in connection therewith) in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned that may be necessary or desirable to prepare and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5 (including amendments thereto and joint filing agreements in connection therewith) and file such Forms with the SEC and any stock exchange, self-regulatory association or any other authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing that, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required of the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by the attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as the attorney-in-fact may approve in the attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney in fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney in fact, or such attorney in fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, and their substitutes, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming (nor is the Company assuming) any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the Company and the attorneys-in-fact. This Power of Attorney revokes any other power of attorney that the undersigned has previously granted to representatives of the Company and Cooley LLP.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of the date written below.

Dated: March 25, 2019

/s/ DAVID A. CORY