

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Goldman Steven M.</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O DOVA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.</u> <u>240 LEIGH FARM ROAD, SUITE 245</u> (Street) <u>DURHAM NC 27707</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Dova Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [DOVA]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>08/13/2018</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	08/13/2018		M		1,832	A	\$7.32	125,001	D	
Common Stock								5,000	I	By LLC ⁽¹⁾

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 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) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$7.32	08/13/2018		M		1,832		(2)	05/24/2027	Common Stock	1,832	\$0.00	20,168	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares are held by the Steven M. Goldman Family LLC (the "LLC"), of which the Reporting Person is the Managing Member. The voting and investment decisions of the LLC are made by an independent external asset manager. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the LLC except to the extent of his pecuniary interest in the LLC, if any, and the inclusion of these shares on this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person beneficially owns the shares for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or any other purpose.

2. The option vests over a period of three years as follows: (i) one-third of the total shares subject to the option shall vest on May 25, 2018, and (ii) 1/36th of total shares subject to the option shall vest monthly thereafter over the remaining two years of the vesting period, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service with the Issuer on each such date. The option allows for early exercise, subject to the Issuer's repurchase option, with respect to any unvested shares of Common Stock.

Remarks:

/s/ Darren DeStefano, 08/15/2018
Attorney-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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