FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Reddy E Premkumar						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Onconova Therapeutics, Inc. [ONTX]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) To the second						
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(Last)	`	irst)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2013									below) below)				peony				
C/O ONCONOVA THERAPEUTICS, INC.							12/13/2013														
375 PHEASANT RUN							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)															ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
NEWTOWN PA 18940				_										Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																		
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curit	ties Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed	of, o	r Ber	neficial	y Owned	i					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D						Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)					Securiti Benefic Owned	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amoun	mount (A) or (D) Pr		Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 12/19/						/2013			M		32,0	32,036 A \$		\$1.3	3 1,31	1,310,754		D			
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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)	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Expirati (Month/		of S Und Deri	Securiti Jerlying	g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactie (Instr. 4)	Owners Form Direct or Inc. (I) (Inc.)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	code V		(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	e	Amount or Number of Shares							
Common Stock Option (right to buy)	\$1.33	12/19/2013			М			32,036	01/01/2	004	01/01/2014		nmon tock	32,036	\$0	0		D			

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ By Ajay Bansal as attorney-

in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

12/24/2013

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

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