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* Altland James						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Onconova Therapeutics, Inc. [ONTX]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ONCONOVA THERAPEUTICS, INC. 375 PHEASANT RUN							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2013										z Cor	below) p. Develo	`
(Street) NEWTOWN PA 18940 (City) (State) (Zip)					. 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								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	ative	tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefic									cially Owned							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D						2A. Deemed Execution Date			3. 4. Sec Transaction Dispo			rities Acquired (A) or ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F	int of 6. 0 es Fo (D) Following (I)		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code V		Amount	t (A) or (D) F		rice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common	mmon Stock 07/30/2013						M		5,000	0 A	.	\$6	5,	5,000		D			
		Т	able II - I (uired, D , option						Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (In:				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)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Option (right to	\$6	07/30/2013			М			5,000	07/31/201	1 08	8/01/2017	Common Stock	5,0	000	\$0	55,015		D	

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ James Altland

07/30/2013

** 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).
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