FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Fruchtman Steven M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Onconova Therapeutics, Inc. [ ONTX ]					(Check all applicable)  X Director 10%				ner
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. These options vest over three years, one-third on the first anniversary of the date of grant and thereafter in 24 equal monthly installments over the following two years.
- 2. These restricted stock units vest over 3 years from the date of grant: 33% on the first anniversary; 33% on the second anniversary; and 34 % on the third anniversary.
- 3. Each restricted stock unit is convertible into one share of common stock.

/s/ Mark Guerin as attorney-in-

08/04/2021

<u>fact</u> \*\* 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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