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* <u>OLER ABRAHAM N.</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Onconova Therapeutics, Inc. [ONTX]									k all applic Directo	cionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director		10% Ow	ner	
(Last) 12 PENN	(Fi	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/02/2021							X	below)	Officer (give title below) SVP Corp Dev &		Other (s below) en Counse			
(Street) NEWTO (City)		tate)	18940 (Zip)	Deriva	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefic						nefic	Line) X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D			Transac ate	Execution Date,		3. 4. Securities Ac Transaction Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquir	es Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	nt of s ally ollowing	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code V		Amount	(A) o (D)	r Pr	ice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				Instr. 4)		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative Conversion Date Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)		3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Ye	Co	ransaction code (Instr.)		of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓	3. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivatives Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
				Co	de V	,	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber					
Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$5.19	08/02/2021		A	A		40,000		(1)	08	3/02/2031	Common stock	40,0	000	\$0	40,00	0	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	08/02/2021		A	A		13,400		(2)		(2)	Common stock	13,4	100	\$0	13,40	0	D	

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-

fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

08/04/2021

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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