## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Hoffman Michael B</u>				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Onconova Therapeutics, Inc. [ ONTX ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director X 10% Owner					% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 712 FIFTH AVENUE, 36TH FLOOR				11/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2013								belov			bel	ner (specify ow)		
(Street)  NEW YC			.0019 Zip)		4. If	Ameno	dment, Date	of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - N	lon-Deriva	ative	Seci	urities A	cquire	d, D	isposed o	f, or B	enefic	cially	/ Owne	ed				
		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 a 5)					ly	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock			11/18/20	18/2013					5,000	A	\$11.8	87	4,312,500		I		By the Michael and Jane Hoffman 2013 Descendants Trust <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock													84,5	30		I	By Hoffman 2013 Descendants Trust (Non- GST Exempt Trust) <sup>(1)</sup>		
		Та	ble II							posed of, convertib				wned					
Title of 2. 3. Transaction Date Execution Date, (Month/Day/Year) if any		ransaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securites Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	<del>' ' '</del>	e Exer	rcisable and Date	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. F Der See (Ins	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reporte Transac (Instr. 4)	ve es ially ng d tion(s)	10. Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)				
					Code	v	(A) (D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r						

## Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares are held in trust for the benefit of the reporting person's descendants. The reporting person's spouse is a trustee of the trust.

/s/ by Ajay Bansal as attorneyin-fact. 11/20/2013

\*\* 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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