Mast Therapeutics, Inc.

Form 4 June 12, 2015

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Mast Therapeutics, Inc. [MSTX]

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

SUITE 500

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RAMSAY DAVID A

(First) (Middle)

Symbol

3611 VALLEY CENTRE DRIVE,

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

(Month/Day/Year)

06/11/2015

(State) (Zip)

(City)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

(Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or

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

Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

4. Securities

or Code V Amount (D) Price

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

below)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

5. Amount of

Securities

Following

Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Owned

Beneficially

X_ Director

Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

response... 0.5

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.		Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.5	06/11/2015		A		82,963		<u>(1)</u>	06/11/2025	Common Stock	82,963

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
RAMSAY DAVID A						
3611 VALLEY CENTRE DRIVE, SUITE 500	X					
SAN DIEGO CA 92130						

Signatures

/s/ Brandi L. Roberts, Attorney-in-Fact for David A.
Ramsay

06/12/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) This option vests and becomes exercisable in 12 substantially equal monthly installments on each monthly anniversary of June 11, 2015, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the issuer.

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