

PAUL STEVEN M  
Form 4  
March 20, 2019

**FORM 4**

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
PAUL STEVEN M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SAGE THERAPEUTICS,  
INC., 215 FIRST STREET

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
Sage Therapeutics, Inc. [SAGE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/18/2019

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 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 and 5) |        |            | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |                  |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price                                                                                         |                                                          |                                                       |                  |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   |        |            | 272,777                                                                                       | D                                                        |                                                       |                  |
| Common Stock                    | 03/18/2019                           |                                                    | S <sup>(1)(2)</sup>            |                                                                   | 900    | D          | \$<br>161.01<br>(3)                                                                           | 189,800                                                  | I                                                     | See footnote (2) |
| Common Stock                    | 03/18/2019                           |                                                    | S <sup>(1)(4)</sup>            |                                                                   | 1,200  | D          | \$<br>161.14<br>(5)                                                                           | 188,600                                                  | I                                                     | See footnote (4) |
| Common Stock                    | 03/18/2019                           |                                                    | S <sup>(1)(6)</sup>            |                                                                   | 800    | D          | \$<br>161.02<br>(7)                                                                           | 187,800                                                  | I                                                     | See footnote (6) |

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|--------------|------------|----------------------------|--------|---|------------------------------------|---------|---|-------------------|
| Common Stock | 03/18/2019 | <u>S<sup>(1)(8)</sup></u>  | 875    | D | \$<br><u>161.01</u><br><u>(9)</u>  | 186,925 | I | See footnote (8)  |
| Common Stock | 03/20/2019 | <u>S<sup>(1)(10)</sup></u> | 14,321 | D | \$<br><u>161.32</u><br><u>(11)</u> | 172,604 | I | See footnote (10) |
| Common Stock | 03/20/2019 | <u>S<sup>(1)(12)</sup></u> | 16,182 | D | \$ <u>161.2</u><br><u>(13)</u>     | 156,422 | I | See footnote (12) |
| Common Stock | 03/20/2019 | <u>S<sup>(1)(14)</sup></u> | 13,096 | D | \$<br><u>161.32</u><br><u>(15)</u> | 143,326 | I | See footnote (14) |
| Common Stock | 03/20/2019 | <u>S<sup>(1)(16)</sup></u> | 13,047 | D | \$<br><u>161.35</u><br><u>(17)</u> | 130,279 | I | See footnote (16) |

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

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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Bene<br>Own<br>Follo<br>Repor<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
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|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V (A) (D)                                                                                                          | Date<br>Exercisable                                            | Expiration<br>Date                                                        | Title                                               | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                   | Relationships                    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                  | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| PAUL STEVEN M<br>C/O SAGE THERAPEUTICS, INC.<br>215 FIRST STREET |                                  |

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

## Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Fitzpatrick, as Attorney-in-Fact for Steven  
M. Paul

03/20/2019

\_\_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) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected by the Aaron Paul Trust, the Austin Paul Trust, the Jordan Fisch Trust and the McGill Trust pursuant to trading plans adopted pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- Represents 46,689 shares held directly by the McGill Trust; 46,566 shares held directly by the Jordan Fisch Trust; 46,782 shares held directly by the Aaron Paul Trust; and 32,567 shares held directly by the Austin Paul Trust. The reporting person disclaims Section 16
- (10) beneficial ownership of the shares held in each of these trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$161.00 USD to \$162.355 USD. The price reported above
- (11) reflects the weighted average sale price. The issuer hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- Represents 46,689 shares held directly by the McGill Trust; 46,566 shares held directly by the Jordan Fisch Trust; 30,600 shares held directly by the Aaron Paul Trust; and 32,567 shares held directly by the Austin Paul Trust. The reporting person disclaims Section 16
- (12) beneficial ownership of the shares held in each of these trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$161.00 USD to \$161.87 USD. The price reported above reflects
- (13) the weighted average sale price. The issuer hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- Represents 33,593 shares held directly by the McGill Trust; 46,566 shares held directly by the Jordan Fisch Trust; 30,600 shares held directly by the Aaron Paul Trust; and 32,567 shares held directly by the Austin Paul Trust. The reporting person disclaims Section 16
- (14) beneficial ownership of the shares held in each of these trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$161.00 USD to \$162.36 USD. The price reported above reflects
- (15) the weighted average sale price. The issuer hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- Represents 33,593 shares held directly by the McGill Trust; 33,519 shares held directly by the Jordan Fisch Trust; 30,600 shares held directly by the Aaron Paul Trust; and 32,567 shares held directly by the Austin Paul Trust. The reporting person disclaims Section 16
- (16) beneficial ownership of the shares held in each of these trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$161.00 USD to \$162.46 USD. The price reported above reflects
- (17) the weighted average sale price. The issuer hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- Represents 47,889 shares held directly by the McGill Trust; 47,366 shares held directly by the Jordan Fisch Trust; 47,657 shares held directly by the Aaron Paul Trust; and 46,888 shares held directly by the Austin Paul Trust. The reporting person disclaims Section 16
- (2) beneficial ownership of the shares held in each of these trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$161.00 USD to \$161.03 USD. The price reported above reflects
- (3) the weighted average sale price. The issuer hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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- (4) beneficial ownership of the shares held in each of these trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$161.00 USD to \$161.38 USD. The price reported above reflects
- (5) the weighted average sale price. The issuer hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

- Represents 46,689 shares held directly by the McGill Trust; 46,566 shares held directly by the Jordan Fisch Trust; 47,657 shares held directly by the Aaron Paul Trust; and 46,888 shares held directly by the Austin Paul Trust. The reporting person disclaims Section 16
- (6) beneficial ownership of the shares held in each of these trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$161.00 USD to \$161.16 USD. The price reported above reflects
- (7) the weighted average sale price. The issuer hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

- Represents 46,689 shares held directly by the McGill Trust; 46,566 shares held directly by the Jordan Fisch Trust; 46,782 shares held directly by the Aaron Paul Trust; and 46,888 shares held directly by the Austin Paul Trust. The reporting person disclaims Section 16
- (8) beneficial ownership of the shares held in each of these trusts, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$161.00 USD to \$161.05 USD. The price reported above reflects
- (9) the weighted average sale price. The issuer hereby undertakes to provide, upon request, to the SEC staff or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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