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>Heffernan Michael Thomas</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLLEGIUM PHARMACEUTICAL, INC COLL								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
				C									Director		10% Owner		·		
(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)		_									Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)		
780 DEDHAM STREET, SUITE 800					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2018								Chairman, President and CEO						
(Street)				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)		-								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				ting		
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Da				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3)			Securitie Beneficia Owned F	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership						
							Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock 01/25/				25/201	2018		A		75,000 ⁽¹⁾ A		\$0	593,987			D				
Common Stock 01/26/3				26/201	/2018		A ⁽²⁾	V	1,044		\$10.1	7 595,031			D				
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo	ate,	Code (Ir		Derivative		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 a	g Security	Derivative Security	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported	e s ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisab		xpiration Pate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s (Instr. 4)				
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$24.35	01/25/2018			A		150,000		(3)	0	1/25/2028	Common Stock	150,000	\$0	150,0	00	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Reflects the grant of restricted stock units. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the issuer's common stock. The restricted stock units vest over a four-year period commencing on February 10, 2018. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the restricted stock units vest on February 10, 2019, and the balance of the restricted stock units vest in equal installments every six months (in each case, rounded up to the nearest whole share of common stock) over the remaining three years of the four-year period, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the issuer. The restricted stock units will be settled on each applicable vest date in shares of the issuer's common stock.
- 2. These shares were acquired under the Collegium Pharmaceutical, Inc. 2015 Employee Stock Purchase Plan in a transaction that was exempt under both Rule 16b-3(d) and Rule 16b-3(c).
- 3. The option vests and becomes exercisable over a four-year period commencing on February 10, 2018. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the option vests and becomes exercisable on February 10, 2019, and the balance vests in equal quarterly installments (rounded up to the nearest whole share of common stock) over the remaining three years of the four-year period, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the issuer.

Remarks:

/s/ Paul Brannelly as Attorney-

In-Fact For Michael T. 01/29/2018

<u>Heffernan</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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