

# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <b>Calias Pericles</b>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>Cerecor Inc. [CERC]</b>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director _____ 10% Owner _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) _____ <b>Chief Scientific Officer</b>				
(Last) (First) (Middle) <b>C/O CERECOR INC., 540 GAITHER ROAD, SUITE 400</b>			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>07/16/2019</b>							
(Street) <b>ROCKVILLE, MD 20850</b>			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)			<b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>							
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	07/16/2019		F		3,246 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 4.90	49,216	D	

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.26						<u>(2)</u> 07/16/2028	Common Stock 80,000		80,000	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.22						<u>(2)</u> 04/01/2029	Common Stock 175,000		175,000	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.98						<u>(3)</u> 05/24/2029	Common Stock 25,000		25,000	D	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Calias Pericles C/O CERECOR INC. 540 GAITHER ROAD, SUITE 400 ROCKVILLE, MD 20850			Chief Scientific Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Donald R. Reynolds, by Power of Attorney		04/17/2020
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) Represents shares forfeited to the Issuer in connection with the satisfaction of tax liabilities incurred upon the vesting of restricted stock granted May 24, 2019.

(2) One-fourth of the shares subject to the stock option will vest on the first anniversary of the date of grant, and the remaining three-fourths of the shares subject to the stock option will vest in equal monthly installments over the following 36 months.

(3) One-fourth of the shares subject to the stock option will vest on July 16, 2019, and the remaining three-fourths of the shares subject to the stock option will vest in substantially equal monthly installments over the following 36 months, provided the Reporting Person is then still providing continuous service as an employee, director or consultant.

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