# FORM 4

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

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longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. *See* Instruction 1(b).

#### 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

| Name and Address of Reporting Person –  Persson Magnus   |                             |   |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>Cerecor Inc. [CERC] |   |             |  |  |   |                                    | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner |  |  |                    |                         |  |
|--|-----------------------------|---|---|---|---|-------------|--|--|---|------------------------------------|---|--|--|--------------------|-------------------------|--|
| C/O CERECOR I<br>SUITE 606   | NC., 400 EAST PR            | A TOTAL COMP TITLE  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2018 |   |   |             |  | Officer (give  | title below)  |                                    | er (specify below   |  |  |                    |                         |  |
| BALTIMORE M  | (Street) ALTIMORE, MD 21202 |   |   |   | 4. If Amendment, Date 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 |  |                    |                         |  |
| (City)   | (State)                     | (Zip)   |   |   | Т   | able        | I - Non-Deriv                                      | ative Securi   | ties Acc  | quired, I                          | Disposed  | of, or Bene  | ficially Own   | ed                 |                         |  |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)  |                             |   | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date<br>r) (Month/Day/Ye            |   | Date, if  | Coc<br>(Ins | le (Atr. 8) (I                                     | Securities A a) or Dispose astr. 3, 4 and (A) mount (D     | ed of (D  | red 5. Amount of S                 |   | Securities Beneficially<br>ring Reported   |  | Ownership of Form: | Seneficial<br>Ownership |  |
| Reminder: Report on  | a separate line for eac     | Table II -  | Derivati  | ve S  | Securitie   | es A        | Person contain                                     | s who resp<br>ed in this f<br>splays a cu<br>sed of, or Bo | orm ar<br>irrently<br>eneficia  | re not re<br>y valid (<br>ally Own | equired to<br>OMB cor   | to respond   | d unless the   |                    | 174 (9-02)              |  |
| 1. Title of Derivative Conversion Date or Exercise (Instr. 3)  Price of Derivative Security  1. Title of Date (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (Execution Date, in any (Month/Day/Year) |                             | 4. 5. N<br>Transaction of Ode Der (Instr. 8) Sec<br>(A) Disport (Instr. 8) Control (Instr. 8) |   | 5. Num<br>of<br>Deriva<br>Securit<br>Acquir<br>(A) or<br>Dispos<br>of (D) | 5. Number 6. Date Expira (Mont Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, |             | Date Exercisable and piration Date Ionth/Day/Year) |  | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                    |   | 9. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4)                     | Ownershi Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D or Indirec | (Instr. 4)         |                         |  |
| 1  |                             |   |   |   |   |             |  |  |   |                                    | Amount<br>or  |  |  |                    |                         |  |
|  |                             |   | Code  | v   | (A)   | (D)         | Date<br>Exercisable                                | Expiratio<br>Date  | n Ti  | itle                               | Number<br>of<br>Shares  |  |  |                    |                         |  |

| Donostino Omno Nono / Addisor   | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| Persson Magnus<br>C/O CERECOR INC.<br>400 EAST PRATT STREET, SUITE 606<br>BALTIMORE, MD 21202 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

# **Signatures**

| /s/ Robert Swedberg, by Power of Attorney | 05/17/2018 |
|---|------------|
| **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 stock options will vest in full on May 15, 2019, subject to the grantee's continued service on such vesting date.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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