#### FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  RENTON HOLLINGS				POF	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PORTOLA PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ PTLA ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to I (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% O					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PORTOLA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.				04/1:	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2019									Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
270 EAST GRAND AVE.  (Street)  SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO  CA 94080				4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Application)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person												n		
(City)	(SI	tate) (	Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Non-Deriv	ative S	Sec	urit	ies Acc	quire	d, Di	sposed	l of	, or Be	neficia	ly Owned	t				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			Execut if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	4. Securities Acc Disposed Of (D)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							v	Am	ount	(A) or (D)	Price		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock		04/15/2019			М		5,	,000(1)	A	A	\$9	14,000		D					
Common Stock		04/15/2019				S		4,	,600(1)	I	\$34	.3962(2)	9,400		D				
Common Stock		04/15/2019			S		4	400(1)		\$35	.0675(3)	9,000		D					
Common Stock												2,826		I		Held by The Renton Family Community Property Trust			
	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)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) Disp of (I	oosed D) tr. 3, 4	Expira	ation E	Exercisable and ion Date (Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security and 4)	of s ng	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	sable	Expirati Date		Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$9	04/15/2019		M			5,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	(4	1)	04/27/20	)20	Common Stock	5,000	\$0.00	15,	,000	D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 13, 2019.
- 2. The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.9700 to \$34.9650, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Portola Pharmaceuticals, Inc., any security holder of Portola Pharmaceuticals, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in footnotes (2) (3) to this Form 4.
- 3. The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$35.000 to \$35.1800, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Portola Pharmaceuticals, Inc., any security holder of Portola Pharmaceuticals, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in footnotes (2) (3) to this Form 4.
- 4. The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 20,000 shares, became exercisable monthly over a two year period beginning on May 29, 2010.

# Remarks:

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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