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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Neff Thomas B

(Middle)

C/O FIBROGEN, INC., 409

ILLINOIS ST.

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FIBROGEN INC [FGEN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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

Chief Executive Officer

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94158

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) 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) | Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit or(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | sposed 4 and : (A) or | l of (D) 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) | | |
| Common Stock | 10/16/2017 | | Code V S | Amount 12,294 (1) | (D) | Price \$ 54.54 (2) | 3,176,861 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 10/16/2017 | | S | 6,606 (1) | D | \$ 55.37 (3) | 3,170,255 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 10/16/2017 | | S | 417 (1) | D | \$ 54.35 (4) | 131,277 | I | By Family Partnership | | |
| Common Stock | 10/16/2017 | | S | 1 (1) | D | \$ 55.45 | 131,276 | I | By Family Partnership | | |

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| Common Stock | 10/17/2017 | S | 4,200 (1) | D | \$ 54.69 (5) | 3,166,055 | D | |
|-----------------|------------|---|---------------|---|---------------------------|-----------|---|--------------------------|
| Common Stock | 10/17/2017 | S | 14,700 (1) | D | \$ 55.38 <u>(6)</u> | 3,151,355 | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/17/2017 | S | 100 (1) | D | \$ 55.1 | 131,176 | I | By Family Partnership |
| Common Stock | 10/17/2017 | S | 318 (1) | D | \$ 55.25 | 130,858 | I | By Family Partnership |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 20,000 | I | By Spouse |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 60,946 | I | See footnote (7) |

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. mNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | Secur | unt of rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|---------------------|--------------------|-------|--|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
| reporting owner runner runners | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | | |
| Neff Thomas B C/O FIBROGEN, INC. 409 ILLINOIS ST. | X | | Chief Executive Officer | | | | | | |

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Signatures

/s/ Michael Lowenstein, Attorney-in-fact

10/18/2017

**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) Shares sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan.
- (2) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$54.10 to \$55.10. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$55.15 to \$56.00. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$54.30 to \$54.40. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (5) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$54.00 to \$55.00. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (6) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$55.05 to \$55.80. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (7) The shares are held by BioGrowth Partners, LP. The reporting person is the sole general partner of BioGrowth Partners, LP and has sole voting and dispositive power over the shares held by BioGrowth Partners, LP.

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