FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT C	F CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Del Carmen Jeffrey.  (Last) (First) (Middle)  355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE  SUITE 801				<u>C</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CATALYST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [ CPRX ]								eck all applic Directo	nship of Reporting I applicable) Director Officer (give title below)		10% Ow Other (s below)	/ner	
				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/11/2022								,	Chief Commercial Officer					
(Street) CORAL GABLES	H	L	33134		4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
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[		Date			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			Securitie Benefici Owned F	rities		Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share		11/11	11/2022				M		120,000	Α	\$2.86	120	,000		D			
Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share		11/11	/11/2022				S		120,000	D	\$16.228	(2)	0		D			
Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share		11/11	1/2022	2022					19,017	A	\$2.24	19	,017		D			
Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share		11/11	1/2022	022		S		19,017(1	) D	\$15.461 <sup>(3)</sup>		0		D				
			Table II								posed of converti			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Derivative Conversion Date Execution Dat Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	e s lly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Options to purchase common stock	\$2.86	11/11/2022			M			120,000	08/06/2	2019	(4)	Common Stock	120,000	\$0	627,00	00	D	
Options to purchase common stock	\$2.24	11/11/2022			М			19,017	12/19/2	2019	(5)	Common Stock	19,017	\$0	607,98	33	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Shares were sold for personal reasons and does not relate to any disagreements with the Company. Mr. Del Carmen remains an officer of the Company.
- 2. Shares were sold in various lots from \$15.87 to \$16.44 per share. The price listed represents a weighted average price for the shares sold.
- 3. Shares were sold in various lots from \$15.25 to \$15.78 per share. The price listed represents a weighted average price for the shares sold.
- 4. Options vested in four annual tranches beginning on August 6, 2019.
- 5. Options vested in three annual tranches beginning on December 19, 2019.

/s/ Jeffrey Del Carmen

11/15/2022

\*\* 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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