Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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

Washington, D	.C. 20549
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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Tierney David S</u>				<u>  (</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CATALYST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [ CPRX ]									all applic Directo	able) r	g Pers	son(s) to Iss	wner	
(Last)	(Fi	rst)	(Middle)	-								_		below)	(give title		Other (: below)	specily	
355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE, SUITE 801					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2022														
(Street) CORAL FL 33134				4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
GABLES	<u> </u>												Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivati	ve Se	curities	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficia	ally (	Owned					
Date				. Transacti Date Month/Day	Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)			4 and Securiti		s ally ollowing	Form (D) or	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
								Code	v	Amount	ınt (A) or (D)			Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
	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/Ye	Cod	saction e (Instr.			6. Date Ex Expiration (Month/Da	Date	•	7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	e s Ily	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares							
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/14/2022		A		12,000		(2)		(3)	Common Stock	12,00		\$0	336,83	4	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Registrant's common stock upon vesting.
- $2.\ Derivative\ securities\ vest\ in\ equal\ tranches,\ 1/3rd\ on\ February\ 14,\ 2023,\ 1/3rd\ on\ February\ 14,\ 2024\ and\ 1/3rd\ on\ February\ 14,\ 2025.$
- $3. \ Shares \ of \ common \ stock \ will \ be \ delivered \ to \ the \ Reporting \ Person \ within \ sixty \ (60) \ days \ of \ vesting.$

/s/ David S. Tierney

02/16/2022

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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