FORM 4

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* Mickle Travis C						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify)					
ast) (First) (Middle) 7/O KEMPHARM, INC. 180 CELEBRATION BOULEVARD, SUITE 103					h/Day/Year)	2	below)	ner (specify ow)			
ļ-			of Origi	nal Fil	ed (Month/Da	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Non-Deriva	tive	Securities Ac	quire	d, Di	isposed o	f, or B	enefic	ciall	ly Owned		
2. Transactio	n	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 au 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(IIISU. 4)
03/05/20	20		P		3,000	A	\$0.33	344	1,756,117	D	
03/05/20	20		P		3,000	A	\$0.33	341	1,759,117	D	
03/05/2020			P		4,500	A	\$0.3	33	1,763,617	D	
03/05/2020			P		4,500	A	\$0.33	337	1,768,117	D	
03/05/20	20		P		3,000	A	\$0.32	299	1,771,117	D	
03/05/20	20		P		4,500	A	\$0.32	298	1,775,617	D	
03/05/20	20		P		2,500	A	\$0.32	298	1,778,117	D	
									100,604	D ⁽¹⁾	
									157,197	I	By Travis C. Mickle 2015 Dynasty Trust dtd 7/21/15, Christal M.M. Mickle as trustee
									243,880	I	By Christal M.M. Mickle 2015 Gift Trust dtd 7/21/15, as trustee
									123,217	I	By Travis C. Mickle & Christal M.M. Mickle TRS UA 4- 30-09 Mickle Family Trust, co- trustee
	Non-Deriva 2. Transactio Date (Month/Day/\dots) 03/05/20 03/05/20 03/05/20 03/05/20 03/05/20 03/05/20	Non-Derivative 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2020 03/05/2020 03/05/2020	Securities According Securities According	Securities Securities Securities Securities	Securities Sec	Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of	State Stat	Securities Securities Securities Acquired Disposed Month/Day/Year Mon-Derivative Securities Acquired Acquired Disposed Month/Day/Year Month/Day/Year Securities Acquired Acquired	Securities Sec	Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned	Same Check all applicable X

		Tabl	le I - N	on-Deriv	vative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	enefici	ally Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transac Date (Month/Da	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(iiisti. 4)	
Common Stock												21,	466		I	By Travis C. Mickle & Christal M.M. Mickle TRS UA 4- 30-09 TCM Family Trust, co- trustee			
Common Stock											16,550		I ⁽²⁾		By Mickle Investments LLC				
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)	Execut if any	a. Deemed ecution Date, any Code (onth/Day/Year) 4. Transa Code (6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		ate Amount o		t of ies ying ive	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Held jointly with Christal M.M. Mickle.
- $2. \ The \ Reporting \ Person \ and \ Christal \ M.M. \ Mickle \ are \ the \ managing \ members \ of \ Mickle \ Investments, \ LLC.$

/s/ Timothy J. Sangiovanni,

Attorney-in-Fact for Travis C. 03/05/2020

<u>Mickle</u>

** 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).
- ** 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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