FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ZAFGEN, INC. [ZFGN] **Booth Bruce** Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 01/03/2018 C/O ZAFGEN, INC., 175 PORTLAND STREET, 4TH FLOOR 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) (Street) X Form filed by One Reporting Person 02114 **BOSTON** MA Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature Execution Date. Transaction Securities Form: Direct of Indirect (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Code (Instr. 5) Beneficially Beneficial Owned Following 8) Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) ٧ Code Amount Price (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 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 11. Nature Derivative Conversion **Execution Date** Transaction Expiration Date Amount of Derivative derivative Ownership of Indirect (Month/Day/Year) Security (Instr. 3) or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. Derivative Securities Underlying Security Securities Beneficial Form: (Month/Day/Year) Direct (D) 8) (Instr. 5) Price of Securities Beneficially Ownership Acquired Owned Following or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security (A) or Disposed Reported Transaction(s) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

\$5.18

1. The stock option was issued in lieu of cash fees under the Non-Employee Director Compensation Policy pursuant to a Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement and shall vest over a period of one year starting January 1, 2018 on a quarterly basis in arrears.

Exercisable

(1)

Date

01/03/2028

Remarks:

Stock Option

Buy)

(Right to

/s/ Laurie Burlingame (Attorney-In-Fact) 01/05/2018

Amount or Number of Shares

8,509

\$0.00

8,509

D

Title

Commo

Stock

** 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).

01/03/2018

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(A)

8,509

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