FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Valamehr Bahram</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FATE THERAPEUTICS INC [FATE]								neck	all applic Directo	r	g Perso	10% Ov	/ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O FATE THERAPEUTICS, INC. 3535 GENERAL ATOMICS COURT, SUITE 200						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/08/2020								X Officer (give title below) Other (below) Chief Development Officer					респу
(Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92121					_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y					tion	on 2A. Deem Execution Year) if any		emed		tion istr.	isposed of, or Benefi 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			5. Amou		nt of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Trar		ed ction(s) s and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 01/08/202							20		A		25,000	A	\$0.00	0.00		1,758		D	
Common Stock 01/08/202						20			S		5,700(2)	D	\$20.692).69 ^{25⁽³⁾} 8		86,058		D	
	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)	if any	med 4. on Date, Trans		5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (3, 4 an		6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day ed		ion D		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (right to	\$21.99	01/08/2020			A		90,000		(4)		01/08/2030	Common Stock	90,000		(5)	90,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Award of restricted stock units ("RSUs") that vests with respect to 1/4 of the underlying shares on each of January 8, 2021, January 8, 2022, January 8, 2023, and January 8, 2024. This grant is subject to an accelerated vesting upon a change of control of the Issuer and in the event of termination of employment under certain circumstances following a change of control of the Issuer.
- 2. Required number of shares sold by the reporting person to cover tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of 15,000 shares of Common Stock underlying RSUs granted to the reporting person on January 7, 2019. This sale was made pursuant to an irrevocable election on November 21, 2019 by the reporting person to satisfy tax withholding obligations through a "Sell to cover" transaction and does not represent a discretionary trade by the reporting person.
- 3. The reported price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$20.41 to \$20.88 per share. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote
- 4. The shares subject to this option shall vest and become exercisable in 48 equal monthly installments beginning on February 1, 2020 such that this option is fully exercisable on January 1, 2024.
- 5. Not applicable.

Remarks:

/s/ Cindy R. Tahl, as Attorney-01/10/2020 in-Fact

** 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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