FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] ABBOT STEWART						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>FATE THERAPEUTICS INC</u> [FATE]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last)	(F	(First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/08/2016								C Officer below)	(give title		Other (below)	specify
C/O FATE THERAPEUTICS, INC.;															Chie	ef Develo	opmei	nt Office	
3535 GENERAL ATOMICS COURT #200					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. In Line	. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)				
(Street)														2	X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(S	itate) (Zip)																
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Common Stock 01/08/20					2016	016					3,8630	B ⁽¹⁾ A		\$0.00	43,	43,863		D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	ion Date,	4. Transactior Code (Instr 8)				6. Date E: Expiratio (Month/D		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4		Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative e Securitie Beneficia Owned Followin Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e sally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisat		Expiration Date	Title	c N c	Amount or lumber of Shares					

Explanation of Responses:

\$2.9

1. Represents shares issued pursuant to the Company's 2013 Stock Option and Incentive Plan as a portion of a bonus earned by the reporting person for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015.

(2)

148,800

2. The shares subject to this option shall vest and become exercisable in 48 equal monthly installments beginning on February 8, 2016 such that this option is fully exercisable on January 8, 2020.

3. Not applicable.

Remarks:

Stock Option

(right to

buy)

/s/ Cindy R. Tahl, as Attorneyin-Fact 01/12/2016

(3)

148,800

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

148,800

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Stock

01/07/2026

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).

01/08/2016

** 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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