Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN	<b>BENEFICIAL</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LONGENECKER JOHN P PHD</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AILERON THERAPEUTICS INC [ ALRN ]								(Ched	ck all applic	,		on(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s	ner		
(Last) C/O AIL	•	irst) ERAPEUTICS, l	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2018							X	below)		below)		рсспу		
281 ALBANY STREET						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												Person					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans: Date (Month/L				2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			Code (Instr. 5)				4 and Securitie Benefici		s illy ollowing	Form	: Direct   C Indirect   E str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
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Stock Option (right to buy)	\$5.5	05/15/2018			A		30,000		(1)	05	5/14/2028	Common Stock	30,0	000	\$0.00	30,000	)	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This option was granted on May 15, 2018. The shares underlying the option are scheduled to vest in full on the earlier of (i) September 15, 2018 or (ii) the date on which Dr. Longenecker's employment is terminated in connection with the Company's hiring of a new chief executive officer.

## Remarks:

/s/ John P. Longenecker, Ph.D. 05/17/2018

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

**OWNERSHIP** 

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

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