FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIA	L OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GRYSKA DAVID W						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  INCYTE CORP [ INCY ]									k all applic Directo	cable) r	g Person(s) to Issu 10% Ow		vner	
(Last) 1801 AU	•	First)	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/05/2017								X	below)		Pres	Other (s below) sident, CF(	·	
(Street) WILMIN (City)	NGTON D	DE State)	19803 (Zip)		4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Ind Line) X	·					
		Tak	le I - Nor	ı-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired,	Disp	osed o	f, or Be	nefic	ially	Owned					
Date						2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			or 5. Amou 4 and Securiti Benefic Owned		es ally Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Pr		се	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 07			07/0	5/201	/2017			A		3,517	(1) A	\$	0.00	22,5	532 <sup>(2)</sup>		D			
			Table II -						uired, D , option						Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day)	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			e and 7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		1	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration vate	Title	Amou or Numl of Share	ber						
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$128.34	07/05/2017			A		11,349		(3)	0	7/04/2027	Common Stock	11,3	49	\$0.00	11,349	)	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to	\$128.34	07/05/2017			A		779		(3)	0	7/04/2027	Common Stock	77	9	\$0.00	779		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents award of restricted stock units ("RSUs") that will vest 25% annually over four years, subject to Mr. Gryska's continued service with the Issuer through the applicable vesting dates. The RSUs may be settled only for shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- 2. Includes an aggregate of 19,015 shares of common stock issuable pursuant to previously reported restricted stock units that have not vested.
- 3. Beginning July 5, 2017, options become exercisable in 37 installments, with the first 25% vesting after one year and the remainder vesting monthly over three years.

## Remarks:

/s/ David W. Gryska

07/07/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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