FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Pasquale Maria E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INCYTE CORP [ INCY ]								(Ched	ck all applic	cable) or	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1801 AUGUSTINE CUT-OFF						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2019								X	below)	Officer (give title below)  EVP & Gener		below)	респу	
(Street) WILMINGTON DE 19803 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution D			Code (Inst				4 and Securitie Benefici		es Form ally (D) of Following (I) (Ir		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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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)	Execution Date, if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of I		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Employee Stock Option (right to	\$72.27	01/04/2019			A		22,772		(1)	0	1/03/2029	Common Stock	22,	772	\$0.00	22,77	2	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Beginning January 4, 2019, options become exercisable in 37 installments, with the first 25.00% vesting on July 2, 2019 and the remainder vesting monthly over three years.

## Remarks:

/s/ Maria E. Pasquale

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

01/08/2019

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

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