# 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 Pasquale Maria E						INCYTE CORP [ INCY ]										ck all applic Directo	or		10% Ow	vner
(Last) 1801 AU	(First) (Middle)  AUGUSTINE CUT-OFF					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/02/2019										below)	(give title /P & General (		Other (s below) Counsel	респу
(Street) WILMINGTON DE 19803 (City) (State) (Zip)					4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Form f	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. Transa Date (Month/D						ear)	2A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	3. Tra	3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			or	5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F	nt of 6.0 es Fo ally (D) collowing (I)		n: Direct r Indirect istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Co	ode V		Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 07/02/							2019			A		6,761(1)			\$0.00	17	,774		D	
Common Stock 07/02/							2019			F		470 <sup>(2)</sup> D		\$	85.01	17,304 <sup>(3)</sup>			D	
			Table II -							,	•	sed of, onvertil			•	Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversior or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)				Expir	te Exerciation D th/Day/	ate	able and	7. Title and An of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s Silly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar						
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$85.01	07/02/2019			A		16,428		,	(4)	0	7/01/2029	Common Stock	16,	,428	\$0.00	16,428	В	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents award of restricted stock units ("RSUs") that will vest 25% annually over four years, subject to Maria Pasquale'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. Represents shares withheld automatically by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations due at settlement of performance stock units previously reported in Table I as common stock.
- 3. Including the July 2, 2019 Restricted Stock Unit Grant, this includes an aggregate of 15,249 shares of common stock issuable pursuant to previously reported restricted stock units and earned performance stock units that have not vested.
- 4. Beginning July 2, 2019, options become exercisable in 37 installments, with the first 25% vesting after one year and the remainder vesting monthly over three years.

## Remarks:

/s/ Maria Pasquale

07/03/2019

\*\* 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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Know all by these presents that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Maria E. Pasquale, Christiana Stamoulis, Michael J. Purvis and Paul Trower, signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Incyte Corporation (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of May 7, 2019.

/s/ Maria E. Pasquale Maria E. Pasquale