

FORM 4

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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* <u>Abingworth LLP</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>PROTEON THERAPEUTICS INC [PRTO]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>06/08/2018</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
38 JERMYN STREET			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					
(Street) <u>LONDON X0 SW1Y 6DN</u>								
(City) (State) (Zip)								

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.5	06/08/2018		A	12,700	(2)	06/07/2028	Common Stock	12,700	\$0	12,700	I ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	By affiliate ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾

Explanation of Responses:

- These options (the "Options") were granted to Tim Haines ("Haines"), a member of Abingworth LLP ("ALLP"). ALLP provides advisory services to Abingworth Bioventures VI, LP ("ABV VI"). Under an agreement between Haines and ALLP, Haines is deemed to hold the Options and any shares of common stock issuable upon exercise of the Options for the benefit of ABV VI, and must exercise the Options solely upon the direction of ALLP.
- The options were granted on June 8, 2018 and the shares underlying this option will vest 100% at the earlier of (i) June 8, 2019 and (ii) the Issuer's next annual meeting of stockholders.
- ABV VI may be deemed the indirect beneficial owner of the Options, and Haines may be deemed the indirect beneficial owner of the Options through his indirect interest in ABV VI. ALLP disclaims beneficial ownership of the Options except to the extent, if any, of its pecuniary interest therein. This report shall not be deemed an admission that ALLP, ABV VI, Haines or any other person is the beneficial owner of the securities reported herein for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

/s/ John Heard 06/11/2018
 ** 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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