Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Fiedorek Fred T.</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Verve Therapeutics, Inc. [VERV]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (spec					
(Last)	•	irst) APEUTICS, INC	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2024							below)		lical (below)	респу
201 BROOKLINE AVENUE, SUITE 601					4. lf	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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(City) (State) (Zip)					Ru	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication											
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		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Se	curities	s Ac	quired, Di	sposed	of, or Be	neficial	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)				Beneficia	es Fo ially (D) Following (I)		: 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)	ative Conversion Date Execution Date, Tity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Transact Code (In	ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) 7. Title and An of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)			ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)			10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.75	02/14/2024			A		90,000		(1)	02/13/2034	Common Stock	90,000	\$0	90,000)	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	02/14/2024		T	A		22,000		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	22,000	\$0	22,000	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option was granted on February 14, 2024. 25% of the shares underlying the option will vest on February 14, 2025, and the remainder are scheduled to vest in equal monthly installments thereafter until February 14, 2028.
- 2. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- 3. On February 14, 2024, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units, vesting in four equal annual installments, beginning on April 1, 2025, and the remaining three installments vesting on April 1, 2026, April 1, 2027 and April 1, 2028.

/s/ Andrew Ashe, as Attorneyin-Fact for Fred T. Fiedorek

02/16/2024

** 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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