

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Kathiresan Sekar</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERVE THERAPEUTICS, INC. 201 BROOKLINE AVENUE, SUITE 601 (Street) BOSTON MA 02215 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Verve Therapeutics, Inc. [VERV]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Executive Officer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/14/2024</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

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)
				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		526,000		(1)	02/13/2034	Common Stock	526,000	\$0	526,000	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	02/14/2024		A		132,000		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	132,000	\$0	132,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 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.
- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- 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 Attorney-in-Fact for Sekar Kathiresan 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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