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* <u>Kathiresan Sekar</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Verve Therapeutics, Inc. [VERV]								elationship of eck all applic Director	able)	Perso	10% Ov	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERVE THERAPEUTICS, INC. 201 BROOKLINE AVENUE, SUITE 601					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2023								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer				
(Street) BOSTON (City)		IA tate)	02215 (Zip)	4	. If Am	endment, I	Date o	f Original F	iled (Month/Da	y/Year)	Line	Form fi	ed by One	Repo	(Check App rting Persor One Repor	ı
		Та	ble I - Non-	Derivati	ve S	ecuritie	s Ac	quired, [Disp	osed c	of, or Be	neficially	/ Owned				
Date			2. Transacti Date Month/Day	Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 8)			str. 3, 4 and 9	Beneficia Owned For Reported	es Fori ially (D) (Following (I) (I		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Conversion Date (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Date Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa	4. 5. Number of Derivative Securities		er of re es d (A) sed estr.	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio	Ownersh Form: Illy Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)			
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$21.76	02/14/2023		A		550,200		(1)	02	2/13/2033	Common Stock	550,200	\$0.00	550,20	00	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option was granted on February 14, 2023. 25% of the shares underlying the option will vest on February 14, 2024, and the remainder are scheduled to vest in equal monthly installments thereafter until February 14, 2027.

Remarks:

/s/ Andrew Ashe, as Attorneyin-Fact for Sekar Kathiresan

02/16/2023

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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