FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SOUTHWELL DAVID P (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ROCKET PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 350 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 7530						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROCKET PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [RCKT] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/13/2018									5. Relationship of Repo (Check all applicable) X Director Officer (give to below)			g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)		
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10118 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired	l, Dis	sposed o	f, or	Ber	nefici	ally (Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,					es Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			and 5) Sec Ben		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	Amount	(A (D) or)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(moti. 4)				
Common	2018				S ⁽¹⁾		38,768		D	\$15.3	95,160		5,160	D						
	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)	rivative Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) str. 3) Price of Derivative Security Security Security Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code (8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		nstr. 3	ıt r		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	(D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The reported sales were made for the sole purpose of fulfilling the reporting person's tax obligations in connection with the settlement of restricted stock units.
- 2. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$15.00 to \$15.80. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sales price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

/s/ Sara Turken, as attorney-infact for David P. Southwell

12/14/2018

** 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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