

# CELLDEX THERAPEUTICS, INC.

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## FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)	
<b>MARINO JAMES J</b>		<b>Celldex Therapeutics, Inc. [ CLDX ]</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)		<input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)	
<b>C/O CELLDX THERAPEUTICS, INC., 53 FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 220</b>		<b>3/1/2017</b>			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
<b>HAMPTON, NJ 08827</b>				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)				<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. 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 Beneficially Owned ( e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		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 of Derivative Security: 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				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$3.56	3/1/2017		A		8000		(2)	3/1/2027	Common Stock	8000	\$0	8000	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Represents option granted by the Issuer pursuant to its 2008 Stock Option and Incentive Plan.  
(2) 100% of the total amount of shares subject to the Option vests on March 1, 2018.

#### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
<b>MARINO JAMES J C/O CELLDX THERAPEUTICS, INC. 53 FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 220 HAMPTON, NJ 08827</b>	X			

#### Signatures

/s/ Avery W. Catlin, attorney-in-fact for James J. Marino

3/1/2017

\*\*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).

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