#### FATE THERAPEUTICS INC

Form 4 May 15, 2015

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **EPSTEIN ROBERT S** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

FATE THERAPEUTICS INC

[FATE]

X\_ Director

Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

05/13/2015

C/O FATE THERAPEUTICS. **INC., 3535 GENERAL ATOMICS** COURT, SUITE 200

(First)

(Middle)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(A)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.08	05/13/2015		A	10,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/12/2025	Common Stock	10,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EPSTEIN ROBERT S C/O FATE THERAPEUTICS, INC. 3535 GENERAL ATOMICS COURT, SUITE 200 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

## **Signatures**

/s/Cindy R. Tahl, as Attorney-in-Fact 05/15/2015

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) The shares subject to this option shall vest and become exercisable on the earlier of (i) May 13, 2016 or (ii) the date of the 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, subject to the recipient's continued service on the Issuer's Board of Directors.

X

(2) Not applicable.

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