FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* (Check all applicable) Atea Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [AVIR] Foster Wayne Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify X below) below) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) (Last) (First) (Middle) 10/29/2020 See Remarks 125 SUMMER STREET 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) Line) 02110 X Form filed by One Reporting Person **BOSTON** MA Form filed by More than One Reporting (Citv) (State) (Qip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature Transaction of Indirect **Execution Date** Securities Form: Direct (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Beneficially Code (Instr. 5) (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Following Reported Ownership (Instr. 4) 8) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Price l٧ Code Amount (Instr. 3 and 4 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 3A. Deemed 7. Title and Amount 8. Price of 1. Title of 3. Transaction 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 9. Number of 10. 11. Nature Conversion Transaction of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Ownership Derivative Execution Date. **Expiration Date** Derivative derivative of Indirect Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Security (Instr. 3) if any (Month/Day/Year) Security (Instr. 5) or Exercise Code (Instr. Securities Form: Price of Derivative 8) Securities Acquired Beneficially Owned Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 4) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr 3, 4 and 5) Following Reported Transaction(s) Security (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Amount or Number Expiration (A) (D) Code Stock Option Commo (1) 40,000 40 000 \$24 10/29/2020 Α 40,000 10/28/2030 \$0.00 D (Right to

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests and becomes exercisable in 48 equal monthy installments following October 29, 2020.

Remarks:

Buy)

SVP. Finance and Administration

/s/ Andrea Corcoran, attorneyin-fact for Wayne Foster

10/30/2020

** 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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