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>Horga Maria Arantxa</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Atea Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [ AVIR ]						(Che	eck all application	able)	Person(s) to Iss 10% O	wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 125 SUMMER STREET 16TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/29/2021							X Officer (give title other (specify below)  Chief Medical Officer				
(Street) BOSTON		IA tate)	02110 (Zip)		4. If Amo	endment, [	Date of	f Original F	Filed (	(Month/Da	y/Year)	Line	) 【 Form fil	ed by One R	iling (Check Ap Reporting Perso than One Repo	n
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
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	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)	Conversion Date Execution Dor Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun 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	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v			Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$73	01/29/2021		A		145,500		(1)	0	1/28/2031	Common Stock	145,500	\$0.00	145,500	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The option vests and becomes exercisable in forty-eight (48) equal monthly installments following January 29, 2021.

## Remarks:

/s/ Andrea Corcoran, as Attorney-in-Fact for Maria

02/01/2021

Arantxa Horga

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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