FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Adams Jerome M.				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Atea Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [AVIR]							(5. Rela (Chec	ationship o k all applic Directo	able)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 125 SUMMER STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2021									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify
16TH FLOOR					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)															
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
Date			2. Transad Date (Month/Da	Execution Date,		Code (Ir	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Code (Instr. 5)				4 and Securitie Benefici		es Fo ally (D) Following (I)		orm: Direct) or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pric	Transact		tion(s)			(111311.4)		
	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)	Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)			Co	Fransaction of Code (Instr. Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		S	. Price of Perivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Co	ode V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$23.43	05/18/2021		1	A	56,670		(1)	0	5/17/2031	Common Stock	56,67	70	\$0.00	56,670)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests and becomes exercisable in thirty-six (36) equal monthly installments following May 18, 2021.

Remarks:

/s/ Andrea Corcoran, as Attorney-in-Fact for Jerome M. 05/20/2021 Adams

** 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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