FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	<b>OF CHANGES</b>	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [ SCMP ]								(Che	ck all applica	able)	g Person(s) to Iss		- 1	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 805 KING FARM BLVD, SUITE 550					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2017								X	below)	Officer (give title below)  Chief Scie		below)	респу
(Street) ROCKV (City)		ID tate)	20850 (Zip)	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Inc Line)	Form fil	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Date			. Transaction Date Month/Day/	Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)				Securities Beneficia	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or	Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common stock <sup>(1)</sup>			03/06/20	5/2017			A		70,00	00 A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	70,000			D		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
Derivative Conversion Date		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ate Execution Date,		4. Transaction Code (Instr. r) 8)		Derivative Ex		5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		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)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	or Nu	nount mber Shares		(Instr. 4)			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$11.85	03/06/2017		A		133,000		(2)	0	3/02/2027	Class A Common Stock	13	3,000	\$0	626,2	70	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1. \ Common \ stock \ granted \ consists \ of \ restricted \ stock \ units \ that \ vest \ on \ March \ 2, \ 2020.$
- 2. The option will vest over a four-year period, with 25% vesting on March 2, 2018, and the remaining 75% vesting in equal monthly increments over the three-year period thereafter.

/s/ Peter Kiener

03/08/2017

\*\* 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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