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*  LARUE WILLIAM R					- 3. [	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Tracon Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [ TCON ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/19/2023							(Che	eck all appli	or 10% (		10% Own Other (sp	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O TRACON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 4350 LA JOLLA VILLAGE DRIVE, SUITE 800						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)			Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.								to					
Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D.				saction	2A. Deemed Execution Date,			quired, Disposed of, or Benefi  3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			ed (A) or	5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F	nt of s ally following	6. Own Form: (D) or I (I) (Inst	Direct o Indirect E tr. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
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Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative		6. 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 (Instr. 4)	ly [	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)						
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expi Date	oiration e	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$1.82	04/19/2023			Α		18,000		(1)	04/1	18/2033	Common Stock	18,000	\$0.00	18,000	)	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the earlier of the first anniversary of the grant date set forth in column 3 above or the date of the next annual meeting of the Company's stockholders, subject to the optionee's Continuous Service (as defined in the Company's 2015 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan")) and accelerated on the closing of a Change of Control (as defined in the Plan).

## Remarks:

/s/ Scott B. Brown, Attorney-

04/21/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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