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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| Instruction 1(b).                      |

## 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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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup><br>Smith W Bradford              |                  |           | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>OCULAR THERAPEUTIX, INC [OCUL] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner  |  |  |  |  |
|---|------------------|-----------|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>C/O OCULAR THERAPEUTIX, INC.<br>34 CROSBY DRIVE, SUITE 105 |                  | FIX, INC. | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>01/31/2017                       | X Officer (give title Other (specify below)<br>CFO and Treasurer  |  |  |  |  |
| (Street)<br>BEDFORD<br>(City)   | BEDFORD MA 01730 |           | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                             | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable<br>Line)<br>X Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting<br>Person |  |  |  |  |

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and |               |       | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|---------------|-------|---|---|---|
|                                 |  |   | Code                         | v | Amount                           | (A) or<br>(D) | Price | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   | (1130.4)  |

 
 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of     |     | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|-----|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)    | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |  |  |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                | \$6.56  | 01/31/2017                                 |   | A                            |   | 90,000 |     | (1)  | 01/30/2027         | Common<br>Stock   | 90,000                                 | \$0.00  | 90,000   | D  |  |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

1. Vests over four years, vesting 1/48 monthly beginning on the one-month anniversary of the date of grant.

Remarks:

/s/ W. Bradford Smith

02/10/2017

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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