FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Davidson David						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol bluebird bio, Inc. [BLUE]										all app	o of Reportir licable) tor er (give title	ng Pei	10% O	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BLUEBIRD BIO, INC. 60 BINNEY STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/02/2020										belov	Chief Medical O			
(Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 021- (City) (State) (Zip)				2	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Indiv _ine) X	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																				
D				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	Execut ear) if any		med on Date, Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			d (A) or r. 3, 4 and	nd 5) Secu Bene		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
								c	Code	v	Amount	(1	A) or D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(iiisi	u. 4)	(111341.4)
Common Stock 07/02/2020					0)			S		42(1)		D \$61.5728 ⁽²⁾		39,850			D		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Derivative Conversion Date Execurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if			Exe if ar	Deemed cution Date, ry nth/Day/Year)		ransaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		Der Sec (Ins	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	e ercisable	Expirati e Date	on	Title	Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares were sold to cover tax withholding obligations incurred in connection with the vesting of Restricted Stock Units.
- 2. The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$61.27 to \$61.88. The average weighted price was \$61.5728. The reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

Remarks:

/s/ Helen C. Fu, Attorney-in-

07/07/2020

Fact

** 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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