

Bozigian Haig P.  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Bozigian Haig P.

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
NEUROCRINE BIOSCIENCES  
INC [NBIX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
12780 EL CAMINO REAL  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/04/2017

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Chief Development Officer

SAN DIEGO, CA 92130

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |        |            |                      | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price                |                                                                                               |                                                          |                                                       |
| Common Stock                    | 08/04/2017                           |                                                    | M                              |                                                                   | 25,000 | A          | \$ 5.76              | 154,601                                                                                       |                                                          | D                                                     |
| Common Stock                    | 08/04/2017                           |                                                    | S <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 2,500  | D          | \$ 50                | 129,601                                                                                       |                                                          | D                                                     |
| Common Stock                    | 08/04/2017                           |                                                    | M                              |                                                                   | 20,000 | A          | \$ 8.66              | 149,601                                                                                       |                                                          | D                                                     |
| Common Stock                    | 08/04/2017                           |                                                    | S <sup>(1)</sup>               |                                                                   | 20,000 | D          | \$ 50 <sup>(2)</sup> | 129,601                                                                                       |                                                          | D                                                     |

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

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**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) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V (A) (D)                                                                               | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                              |
| Non Qualified Stock Option                 | \$ 5.76                                                | 08/04/2017                           |                                                    | M                              | 19,929                                                                                  | <u>(3)</u> 08/25/2021                                    | Common Stock 19,929                                           |
| Incentive Stock Option                     | \$ 5.76                                                | 08/04/2017                           |                                                    | M                              | 5,071                                                                                   | <u>(3)</u> 08/25/2021                                    | Common Stock 5,071                                            |
| Non Qualified Stock Option                 | \$ 8.66                                                | 08/04/2017                           |                                                    | M                              | 17,274                                                                                  | <u>(4)</u> 01/12/2022                                    | Common Stock 17,274                                           |
| Incentive Stock Option                     | \$ 8.66                                                | 08/04/2017                           |                                                    | M                              | 2,726                                                                                   | <u>(4)</u> 01/12/2022                                    | Common Stock 2,726                                            |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships                    |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                 | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| Bozigian Haig P.<br>12780 EL CAMINO REAL<br>SAN DIEGO, CA 92130 | Chief Development Officer        |

## Signatures

/s/Darin Lippoldt,  
Attorney-In-Fact 08/08/2017

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

The disposition reported in this Form 4 was effected by a broker pursuant to instructions set forth in a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted  
(1) by the Reporting Person at least 90 days prior to the transaction date in Box 3 above. Additionally, Issuer policy restricts the Reporting Person from amending, canceling, suspending or otherwise modifying any 10b5-1 trading plan subsequent to adoption of the plan.

Represents a weighted average sales price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.00 to  
(2) \$50.10. The Reporting Person has provided to the issuer, and will provide to any security holder of the issuer or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

(3) The option was granted August 25, 2011 and vested in 36 equal monthly installments beginning September 25, 2011.

(4) Option granted January 12, 2012 and vested in 36 equal monthly installments.

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