Marrazzo Jeffrey D Form 4 December 20, 2017

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

obligations may continue. See Instruction

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Marrazzo Jeffrey D

(First) (Middle)

C/O SPARK THERAPEUTICS. INC., 3737 MARKET STREET, **SUITE 1300**

(Street)

(State)

Symbol Spark Therapeutics, Inc. [ONCE]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19104

| 1.Title of Security | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 3. Transactio | | ies Acquire sposed of (I | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct | 7. Nature of Indirect |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | (Instr. 3, 4 | 4 and 5) | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership |
| | | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | (4) | Reported | | |
| | | | | | (A) | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) Pri | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common | 12/19/2017 | | M | 60.000 | A \$ | 290.000 | D | |

Stock

(Zip)

3.45

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)

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| 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or 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) | | 8 1 5 (|
|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 3.45 | 12/19/2017 | | M | 60,000 | <u>(1)</u> | 07/01/2024 | Common Stock | 60,000 | |

Reporting Owners

Marrazzo

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|--|--|
| 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Marrazzo Jeffrey D C/O SPARK THERAPEUTICS, INC. 3737 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1300 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19104 | X | | Chief Executive Officer | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | |
| /s/ Joseph W. La Barge, attorney-in-fact for | or Jeffrey D. | | 12/20/2017 | | | |

**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).
- (1) This option was granted on July 2, 2014 and vests over four years, with 25% of the shares underlying the option vesting on May 24, 2015, and the remainder vesting quarterly thereafter.

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