FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, I	D.C. 20549
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Verwijs Marinus</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Aerovate Therapeutics, Inc. [ AVTE ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director					
(Last)	(Fir	st) (1 HERAPEUTICS	Middl	,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2023									X S	Officer (give title below) below)  ENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, C				
930 WINTER STREET, SUITE M-500					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451				1	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person														
(City) (State) (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.														
		Table	1 - 1	Non-Deriva	tive	Secui	rities	Acc	quir	ed, Di	sposed o	f, or	Benefici	ally	Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye				ar) E	2A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D		,   T	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			d 5) Secur Benef Owne		icially d Following	Forn (D) o Indir	n: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									ode	v /	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Inst	r. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 05/03/202					3				S <sup>(1)</sup>		759 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$20.789	0.7897(3)		0		D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	re Conversion Date Execution Date,		cution Date, ny	Code 8)	sansaction of Derivative Securitie Acquired (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)		rative rities ired r osed ) : 3, 4	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Amo Secu Unde Deriv Secu 3 and	Amount or Number of	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to E\*TRADE Securities LLC's Quicksale Trading Plan elected by the reporting person on July 11, 2022.
- 2. Includes 759 shares purchased under the Issuer's 2021 Employee Stock Purchase Plan on April 30, 2023 in a transaction that is exempt under Rule 16b-3(c) and 16b-3(d).
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$20.78 to \$20.84, inclusive. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.

/s/ George A. Eldridge, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

05/03/2023

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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