Bloom Steven H. Form 4 June 04, 2018

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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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bloom Steven H.

> (First) (Middle)

C/O VERASTEM, INC., 117 KENDRICK ST., SUITE 500

NEEDHAM, MA 02494

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Verastem, Inc. [VSTM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/06/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Owned Following Reported (A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Chief Strategy Officer

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

(T)

(Instr. 4)

below)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

Issuer

below)

5. Amount of

Securities

Beneficially

Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

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(Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,

Code V

and 5)
V (A)

(D) Date Expiration Exercisable Date

Title Amount or

Number of Shares

Stock

Option (Right to Buy)

\$ 2.97 04/06/2018

A 14,000

04/06/2018 01/05/2028

Common Stock

14,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

rector 10% Owner Officer

Other

Bloom Steven H. C/O VERASTEM, INC., 117 KENDRICK ST, SUITE 500

Chief Strategy Officer

Signatures

/s/ Joseph Chiapponi, attorney-in-fact

NEEDHAM, MA 02494

06/04/2018

**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).

On January 5, 2018, the Reporting Person was granted an option to purchase 70,000 shares of common stock. The option vests based on the Issuer's satisfaction of certain performance milestones by June 30, 2018, by March 31, 2019, and within the first twenty-four (24) months after the achievement of certain net sales targets. 20% of the performance criteria was met on April 6, 2018, resulting in vesting of the option as to 14,000 shares.

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