Molineaux Christopher 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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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Molineaux Christopher P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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(First)

Aclaris Therapeutics, Inc. [ACRS] (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

C/O ACLARIS THERAPEUTICS.

(Month/Day/Year)

03/20/2018

10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

INC., 640 LEE ROAD, SUITE 200 (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

WAYNE, PA 19087

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ities Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/20/2018		M	1,993	A	\$ 0.41	9,598	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2018		M	120	A	\$ 0.72	9,718	D	
Common Stock	03/20/2018		M	264	A	\$ 1.52	9,982	D	

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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)	n Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number Year) Execution Date, if any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day	ate	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
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 0.41	03/20/2018		M	1,993	<u>(1)</u>	01/28/2024	Common Stock	1,993
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 0.72	03/20/2018		M	120	<u>(2)</u>	08/12/2024	Common Stock	120
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 1.52	03/20/2018		M	264	(3)	12/07/2024	Common Stock	264

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Molineaux Christopher P. C/O ACLARIS THERAPEUTICS, INC. 640 LEE ROAD, SUITE 200 WAYNE, PA 19087

X

Signatures

/s/ Brian F. Leaf, attorney-in-fact 03/22/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) 25% of the shares underlying this option vested on January 29, 2015 and the remaining shares vest in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Issuer as of the applicable vesting date.
- (2) 25% of the shares underlying this option vested on August 13, 2015 and the remaining shares vest in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Issuer as of the applicable vesting date.
- (3) 25% of the shares underlying this option vested on December 8, 2015 and the remaining shares vest in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Issuer as of the applicable vesting date.

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