# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP 

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*
Almstead Neil Gregory.

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| (Last) (First) <br> C/O PTC THERAPEUTICS, INC.  <br> 100 CORPORATE COURT  | (Middle) |  |
| (Street) <br> SOUTH PLAINFIELD | NJ | 07080 |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) |


| 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol |  |
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| PTC THERAPEUTICS, INC. [ PTCT ] | 2. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer |
| (Check all applicable) |  |
| Director |  |
| Officer (give title below) |  |


| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction <br> Date <br> (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. TransactionCode (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. <br> 4) |
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|  |  |  | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |  |  |  |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2018 |  | A |  | $874^{(1)}$ | A | \$0 | $5,284^{(2)}$ | 1 | By spouse |
| Common Stock | 01/04/2018 |  | $\mathrm{s}^{(3)}$ |  | 77 | D | \$17.67 | 5,207 | I | By spouse |

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. <br> Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date <br> (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any <br> (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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of <br> derivative <br> Securities <br> Beneficially <br> Owned <br> Following <br> Transaction(s) <br> (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of <br> Indirect Beneficial <br> Ownership (Instr. <br> 4) |
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|  |  |  |  | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date <br> Exercisable | Expiration <br> Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |  |  |  |  |
| Stock Option (Right To Buy) | \$18.01 | 01/03/2018 |  | A |  | 70,000 |  | ${ }^{4}$ | 01/02/2028 | Common Stock | 70,000 | \$0 | 70,000 | D |  |

Explanation of Responses:
. Restricted stock unit (RSU) award vests in four equal annual installments over four years, commencing on January 3, 2019. Upon vesting, each RSU will convert into one share of the issuer.
. Includes 1,060 shares acquired under the Issuer's employee stock purchase plan for the period ending June 30,2017 and 663 shares acquired under the Issuer's employee stock purchase plan for the period ending December 31,2017
3. Represents shares automatically sold pursuant to an irrevocable sell to cover election to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of 180 RSUs from a January 3,2017 grant of 720 shares.
 Remarks:

| $\underline{\text { /s/Avraham S. Adler, }}$, attorney-in-fact |  |
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| ${ }^{*}$ Signature of Reporting Person | $\underline{01 / 05 / 2018}$ |
| Date |  |

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).
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 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 5 th day of January, 2017 .
/s/ Neil Almstead
Signature
Neil Almstead
Print Name

