FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Ramaswamy Vivek							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Arbutus Biopharma Corp [ABUS]									cable) or	ıg Per	=	vner
C/O ARBUTUS BIOPHARMA CORPORATION						Date o		t Tran	saction (Mo	onth/[Day/Year)		Officer below)	(give title		Other (: below)	specify		
100-8900 GLENLYON PARKWAY (Street) BURNABY A1 V5J 5J8				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Bene											 							
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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		Amount o Securities Underlyin		of es ing /e Security		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.11	08/12/2015			A		7,500		(1)	0	8/12/2025	Common Stock	7,	500	\$0.00	7,500		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares underlying this option fully vested on August 12, 2015.

Remarks:

/s/ Alison Haggerty, Attorneyin-Fact 08/14/2015

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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