## 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	e Responses)																
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Miller Joseph M				Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     Aurinia Pharmaceuticals Inc. [AUPH]								5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) #1203-4464 MARKHAM STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2022								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chief Financial Officer				
(Street) VICTORIA, A1 V8Z7X8				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)		(State)	(Zip)				Tabl	e I - N	on-De	rivative !	Securit	ties Acquir	ed, Disposed of	or Benefic	ially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yes			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 8)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		1	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			(Month/Day/Tear)		Co	ode	V	Amount	(A) or (D)		`		or Indirect I) Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock			03/02/2022				A	A		8,500 (1)	A	\$ 0	9,670 (2)		1	)	
Common Stock 03/02/2022					S	S		3,060 (3)	D	\$ 12.01 e	5,610		1	)			
			Table I			e Securitio		tl c quired	his for current l, Disp	rm are n tly valid osed of, o	ot req OMB	uired to recontrol ne				n see	1474 (9-02)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Num Transaction Derivat Code Securiti			ber of 6. Date Exemples (Month/Date of Month/Date of Month			ercisable and 7. T Date Und		7. Title and Underlying	Title and Amount of Underlying Securities Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Owners: Form of Derivati Security Direct (I or Indirects)	Ownershi (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expirati Date	ion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4	)
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(4)</u>	03/02/2022		A		104,080	)		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4</u>	<u>4)</u>	Common Shares	104,080.00	\$ 0	104,080	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.01	03/02/2022		A		178,063	3		(5)	03/02/	/2032	Commor Stock	178,063.00	\$ 0	178,063	D	

#### **Reporting Owners**

Ī		Relationships							
	Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
	Miller Joseph M #1203-4464 MARKHAM STREET VICTORIA, A1 V8Z7X8			Chief Financial Officer					

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Joseph M. Miller	03/04/2022
**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 March 18, 2021, the Reporting Person was granted stock based performance awards ("Performance Awards") which vests when specific performance metrics are met based on the results for (1) the year ended December 31, 2021. It was determined that as of March 2, 2022, the Reporting Person partially met the performance criteria and received shares of common stock for no consideration.
- (2) Includes 170 shares acquired by the Reporting Person under the Issuer's 2021 Employee Share Purchase Plan on December 1, 2021.
- (3) Represents the number of shares sold to cover tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of Performance Awards.
- (4) Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock. The RSUs shall vest in three (3) equal annual installments beginning March 2, 2022, provided the Reporting Person remains continuously employed by the Issuer through each annual vesting date.
- (5) One-third of the shares subject to the option vests twelve months from the grant date, and the remainder vests in twenty-four equal monthly installments thereafter.

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