FIBROGEN INC Form 4 March 16, 2017

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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Neff Thomas B

> (First) (Middle)

C/O FIBROGEN, INC., 409 ILLINOIS ST.

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FIBROGEN INC [FGEN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title _ below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Chief Executive Officer

Applicable Line)

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

Person

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94158

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed 4 and : (A) or	of (D)	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. 4)	
Common Stock	03/14/2017		Code V M	Amount 10,858	(D)	Price \$ 4.025	3,353,983	D		
Common Stock	03/14/2017		S	18,400 (1)	D	\$ 25.04 (2)	3,335,583	D		
Common Stock	03/14/2017		S	500 (1)	D	\$ 25.79 (3)	3,335,083	D		
Common Stock	03/14/2017		S	418 (1)	D	\$ 25.02 (4)	143,816	I	By Family Partnership	

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Common Stock	03/15/2017	M	10,858	A	\$ 4.025	3,345,941	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2017	S	18,900 (1)	D	\$ 25.07 (5)	3,327,041	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2017	S	418 (1)	D	\$ 25.26 (6)	143,398	D	
Common Stock						20,000	I	By Spouse
Common Stock						60,946	I	See footnote (7)

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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 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)	\$ 4.025	03/14/2017		M	10,858	<u>(8)</u>	08/20/2017	Common Stock	10,858
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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Neff Thomas B C/O FIBROGEN, INC. 409 ILLINOIS ST. SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94158

Chief Executive Officer

Signatures

/s/ Dorothy Pacini, Attorney-in-fact

03/16/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Shares sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan.
- (2) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$24.70 to \$25.65. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$25.70 to \$25.85. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
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- (5) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$24.55 to \$25.45. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (6) The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$25.10 to \$25.375. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (7) The shares are held by BioGrowth Partners, LP. The reporting person is the sole general partner of BioGrowth Partners, LP and has sole voting and dispositive power over the shares held by BioGrowth Partners, LP.
- (8) Fully vested.

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