FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Typ	e Responses)														
Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fortress Biotech, Inc.				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Checkpoint Therapeutics, Inc. [CKPT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/17/2017								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2 GANSEVOORT STREET, 9TH FLOOR												Officer (giv	re title below)	Otho	r (specify belov	v)
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10014				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							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) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui							ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
(Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/Ye		,	Code	ode (A) or		Securities Acquired a) or Disposed of (D) astr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Bendowned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		ed (Ownership Form:	. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				(inchia) De			Со	de V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price				(I)	r Indirect () nstr. 4)	instr. 4)
Common	Stock, \$0.	0001 par value	03/17/2017				A	1)	721,699	A	\$ 0	2,702,705])	
			1			ls, wa		s, options, o	onvertible	securi	ties)					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	rcise (Month/Day/Year) f tive	etion 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	if Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ls, warrant 5.			ercisable tion Date	7. Title an		nd Amount of ng Securities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number o Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form of Derivativ Security: Direct (I or Indire	Ownership (Instr. 4) ct
				Code		(Insta	r. 3,		_							
				Code	V		(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	•	Amount or Number of Shares				
Class A Common Stock, \$0.0001	(2)			Code	V	(A)	(D)			Cor	nmon tock	Number of Shares		7,000,000	D	

Reporting Owners

B 41 0 N /	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Fortress Biotech, Inc. 2 GANSEVOORT STREET 9TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10014		X				

Signatures

/s/ Lindsay A. Rosenwald, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer		06/07/2017
Signature of Reporting Person		Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The Reporting Person is entitled to an annual equity fee grant from the Issuer of a number of shares of the Issuer's Common Stock equal to 2.5% of the Issuer's fully diluted outstanding capitalization on March 17. These shares were granted by the Issuer to the Reporting Person for the 2017 annual equity fee grant.
- (2) Each share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock is convertible at any time at the option of the Reporting Person into one share of the Issuer's Common Stock and has no expiration date.

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