FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Oliviero James F III			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Checkpoint Therapeutics, Inc. [ CKPT ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2023	X	Officer (give title below)  CEO, President and	10% Owner Other (specify below)			
(Street) WALTHAM	MA	02453	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	idual or Joint/Group Filing (C Form filed by One Reporti Form filed by More than C	ng Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.						

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ZA. Deemed 3. Transaction if any (Month/Day/Year) 3. Code (Instr. 8)			4. Securities Ac Disposed Of (D)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
COMMON STOCK (RESTRICTED)	03/31/2023		A		250,000(1)	A	\$0.00	394,090(2)	D	

### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

- 1	1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed							7. Title and Amount of				10.	11. Nature	ı
- 1	Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date,	Transaction   I		Derivative		Expiration Date		Securities Underlying		Derivative	derivative	Ownership	of Indirect	L
- 1	Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	if any	Code (Instr.		. Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security		Security	Securities	Form:	Beneficial	L
- 1		Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	8) Acquired (A)		Acquired (A) (		(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Direct (D)	Ownership	L		
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#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The shares of restricted stock vest as follows: one-fourth on March 31, 2024, one-fourth on March 31, 2025, one-fourth on March 31, 2026 and one-fourth on March 31, 2027.
- 2. Includes shares of restricted common stock, which vest over various time periods.

04/04/2023 /s/ James F. Oliviero, III

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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