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See Instruction

Name and Address of Reporting Person * Celano Michael			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Recro Pharma, Inc. [REPH]				g	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) C/O RECRO	(First)	(Middle) IC., 490	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2019				(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify				
LAPP ROAD								below) below) Chief Operating Officer			
F			Filed(Mor	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 01/23/2019				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(City)						Person					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	(State) (Zip) Tabl 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				* * /		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
Common Stock	01/18/2019			Code V	Amount 14,464 (1) (6)	or (D) A	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 41,237	D		
Common Stock	01/18/2019			M	6,400	A	<u>(2)</u>	47,637	D		
Common Stock	01/18/2019			F	1,782 (3)	D	\$ 7.99	45,855	D		

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.99	01/18/2019		A	67,500 (6)		<u>(4)</u>	01/18/2029	Common Stock	67,50
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	01/18/2019		M		6,400	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	6,40

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Chief Operating Officer

Celano Michael

C/O RECRO PHARMA, INC.

490 LAPP ROAD

MALVERN, PA 19355

Signatures

/s/ Ryan D. Lake, as attorney-in-fact 02/19/2019

**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).
- All of the shares of common stock are represented by restricted stock units that will vest in four equal annual installments beginning
- (1) January 18, 2020, subject to continued employment with the Company. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person within 30 days following each respective vesting date.
- (2) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) Shares withheld by the Issuer to satisfy applicable withholding taxes upon vesting of restricted stock units..
- (4) The stock option vests in equal monthly installments over 48 months, beginning on the date that is one month from the date of grant, subject to continued employment with the Company.

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- (5) On January 18, 2017, the reporting person was granted 25,600 restricted stock units, vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (6) Due to a clerical error, the reporting person is filing this Amendment to correct the number of options and restricted stock units granted. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.