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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

may continue.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Kim Jong Joseph

(Last)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INOVIO PHARMACEUTICALS,

INC. [INO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2019

X Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

below) Chief Executive Officer

Issuer

SUITE 110

(Middle)

(Street)

(First)

660 W. GERMANTOWN PIKE

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

PLYMOUTH MEETING, PA 19462

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	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) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	03/05/2019		M	120,100	A	<u>(1)</u>	2,428,594	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2019		F(2)	34,139	D	\$ 3.61	2,394,455	D	
Common Stock							1,750,000	I	By Family Limited Partnership
Common Stock							33,563	I	By Daughter: EK

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Common Stock	33,775	I	By Son: JK1
Common Stock	5,975	I	By Spouse
Common Stock	33,533	I	By Son: JK2

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Derivative Expiration Date ecurities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4, and		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
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(1)</u>	03/05/2019		M		120,100	(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	120,100

Deletionships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Kim Jong Joseph			Chief				
660 W. GERMANTOWN PIKE SUITE 110	X		Executive				
PLYMOUTH MEETING, PA 19462			Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Jong Joseph
Kim

**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock. The vesting schedule for the 360,300 restricted stock units is as follows: 120,100 shares vested on March 5, 2019; 120,100 shares will vest on March 5, 2020; 120,100 shares

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will vest on March 5, 2021. Vested units of restricted stock can be settled in shares of common stock, cash or a combination of both.

(2) The transaction reported represents the withholding of shares by the issuer to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting and settlement of the restricted stock units being reported in this Form 4.

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