McGorry James Joseph Form 4 May 31, 2018

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * McGorry James Joseph

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

below)

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(First) (Middle) Biostage, Inc. [BSTG] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/29/2018

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify below)

C/O BIOSTAGE, INC., 84 OCTOBER HILL ROAD, SUITE 11

(Street)

(State)

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

Chief Executive Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

HOLLISTON, MA 01746

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

(A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(In	str. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Oı	ock otion ght to y)	\$ 2.72	05/29/2018		A	171,233		<u>(1)</u>	05/29/2028	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	171,233
Oı	ock otion ght to y)	\$ 2.72	05/29/2018		A	171,234		(2)	05/29/2028	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	171,234

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
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McGorry James Joseph C/O BIOSTAGE, INC. 84 OCTOBER HILL ROAD, SUITE 11 HOLLISTON, MA 01746	X		Chief Executive Officer			

Signatures

/s/ Chad J. Porter, by power of attorney

**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) Non-Qualified Stock Option shares that vest based on certain performance milestones.
- (2) Stock Option shares that vest in four equal installments on December 31, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021 (of the shares underlying this stock option grant, 147,056 shares are incentive stock options and 24,178 are non-qualified stock options).

Remarks:

This form has been signed under power of attorney.

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