FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

	OMB APPROVAL									
	OMB Number:	3235-0287								
	Estimated average burden									
- 1	ha	0.5								

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b)

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*     Watts Ryan J.					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Denali Therapeutics Inc. [ DNLI ]							(Che	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner				vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O DENALI THERAPEUTICS INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/20/2023								X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and CEO					
161 OYSTER POINT BLVD.				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) SOUTH SAN CA 94080				X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person											- 1			
FRANCISCO				R	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication													
(City)	(State) (Zip)				Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.													
		Tab	le I - N	on-Deri	vativ	e Sec	urit	ties Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	neficiall	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day				Execution Date,		ecution Date, ny		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		(A) or 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amoun Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	lly ollowing	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock 0-				04/20/	2023	.023					200	A	\$0.68	2,240	2,240,113		1 1 "	ee ootnote <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock 04/20				04/20/	2023	023			S <sup>(2)</sup>		200	D	\$25	2,239	239,913		1 1 "	ee ootnote <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock 0-				04/21/	2023				М		24,800	A	\$0.68	2,264	1,713			ee ootnote <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock 04/21/2				2023	023		S <sup>(2)</sup>		24,800	D	<b>\$</b> 25.15 <sup>(3</sup>	2,239,913				ee ootnote <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock													188,437(4)			D		
		٦	Table II								posed of,			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	le of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Date Execution Date, if any			4. Transa Code ( 8)	ction	5. Number on of		6. Options, converti 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Dota		Evaluation		Amount or Number					
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$0.68	04/20/2023			M			200	(5)		08/20/2025	Common Stock	200	\$0	1,195,	417	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$0.68	04/21/2023						24,800	(5)		08/20/2025	Common Stock	24,800	<b>\$00 \$</b> 0 1,170,617		617	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The shares are held of record by the Watts Family 2015 Trust dated July 7, 2015, for which the Reporting Person serves as trustee.
- 2. The sales reported by the Reporting Person were affected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted February 10, 2023.
- 3. The sale price reported in column 4 of Table I represents the weighted average sale price of the shares ranging from \$25.00 to \$25.36 per share. Upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- 4. Includes 188,437 RSUs.
- 5. The vesting of the shares subject to the option are contingent upon the achievement of certain performance metrics. 50% of the shares subject to the option vested on March 3, 2021, and 50% of the sharessubject to the option will vest on the date the closing price of Issuer's Common Stock equals or exceeds \$80.00 per share on NASDAQ for 90 consecutive trading days.

## Remarks:

/s/ Tyler Nielsen, by power of attorney

04/24/2023

\*\* 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.