FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person * Herskowitz Neil			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVENUE THERAPEUTICS, INC. [ATXI]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)X_ Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1140 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, FLOOR 9				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2020						Office	er (give title belo	ow)	Other (specify b	pelow)	
(Street)			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 Person							
NEW YORK, NY 10036 (City) (State) (Zip)			Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
(Instr. 3) Da		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date any	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			quired of (D)	5. Amount of Securities			6. 7 Ownership of Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				(Month/Day/Ye		Code	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price	(msu. 3 a	nu +)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock			02/26/2020			P		161	A	\$ 8.73	119,824 (1)		D		
Common Stock		02/27/2020			P		2,400	A	\$ 8.2	122,224	22,224 (1)		D		
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	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date	Year) Execution Da	e, if Transaction Num Code of ear) (Instr. 8) Deri		vative rities pired or osed 0) r. 3,	and Expiratio (Month/Day/		tion Date Am ty/Year) Und Sec		ount of derlying urities tr. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Owners Form of Derivati Security Direct (or Indire	hip of Indirect Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer		Expiration Date	on Title	Amount or e Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Herskowitz Neil 1140 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, FLOOR 9 NEW YORK, NY 10036	X					

Signatures

/s/ Lucy Lu, M.D., Attorney-	in-Fact	03/02/2020
**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) Includes 74,663 shares of restricted stock.

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