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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading dEsparbes Eric Issuer Symbol Innoviva, Inc. [INVA] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 2000 SIERRA POINT 03/02/2018 below) PARKWAY, SUITE 500 Interim PEO, SVP and CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BRISBANE, CA 94005

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	ecuriti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Code	on(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	(Instr. 3, 4	(A) or	Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/02/2018		A	93,056 (1) (2)	A	\$0	384,866	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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title a	nd	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	er Expiration Date		Amount	of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underlyi	ng	Security	Secui
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						Date	Expiration Date	Title Number of			
						Exercisable					
				Code V	(A) (D)				ares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

dEsparbes Eric 2000 SIERRA POINT PARKWAY SUITE 500 BRISBANE, CA 94005

Interim PEO, SVP and CFO

Signatures

Eric d'Esparbes 03/06/2018

**Signature of 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).
- Includes 31,018 shares of common stock granted pursuant to a time-based restricted stock award (RSA). Twenty-five percent of the shares subject to the RSA shall vest on February 20, 2019, and 6.25% of the shares subject to the RSA shall vest quarterly thereafter on the Issuer's standard vesting dates until February 20, 2022, provided the Reporting Person has provided continuous service to the Issuer through the applicable vesting date.
 - Includes shares of common stock granted pursuant to a performance-based restricted stock award (PSA). The shares vest pursuant to the PSA over a three-year period upon, and subject to a formula related to, the Issuer's achievement of certain levels of relative total
- shareholder return (TSR). The "target" number of shares that may vest is 31,019, but the actual number of shares that may vest will range from 0 to 62,038 shares based on the Issuer's relative TSR over the performance period. Subject to achievement of the performance-based vesting conditions, the shares eligible to vest based on achievement will vest on February 20, 2021 provided that the Reporting Person has provided continuous service to the Issuer through the applicable vesting date.

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