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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Tsai Larry

(Last) (First) (Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

12/29/2017

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

TETRAPHASE PHARMACEUTICALS INC [TTPH]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/OTETRAPHASE

PHARMACEUTICALS, 480

ARSENAL WAY

(Street)

10% Owner Director _X__ Officer

(Check all applicable)

Other (give title below) (specify below) Chief Medical 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

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

WATERTOWN. MAÂ 02472

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

D

Ownership Form: (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect

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Common Stock 28,166

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(I) (Instr. 5)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

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

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

5. 4. Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Price of Derivative Derivative

Security:

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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|---------------|--|---|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | (1) | 03/31/2024 | Common Stock | 60,000 | \$ 11.3 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | (2) | 01/06/2025 | Common Stock | 29,000 | \$ 39.94 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | (3) | 01/05/2026 | Common Stock | 20,000 | \$ 8.47 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | (4) | 01/29/2027 | Common Stock | 50,000 | \$ 3.69 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | (5) | (5) | Common Stock | 8,000 | \$ <u>(6)</u> | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|--|
| toporting o made relations | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| Tsai Larry C/OTETRAPHASE PHARMACEUTICALS 480 ARSENAL WAY WATERTOWN, MA 02472 | Â | Â | Chief Medical Officer | Â | |

Signatures

/s/Maria Stahl as Attorney-in-Fact for Larry Tsai 01/04/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) This option vests over four years. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the shares vested on April 1, 2015 and 6.25% of the shares will vest at the end of each successive three-month period thereafter.
- (2) Vests as to 6.25% of the shares on 4/7/2015 and further vests as to an additional 6.25% of the original grant at the end of each successive three-month period thereafter until 1/7/2019.
- (3) Vests as to 6.25% of the shares on 4/6/2016 and further vests as to an additional 6.25% of the original grant at the end of each successive three-month period thereafter until 1/6/2020.
- (4) Vests as to 6.25% of the shares on 4/30/2017 and further vests as to an additional 6.25% of the original grant at the end of each successive three-month period thereafter until 1/30/2021.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest in three equal installments on each of January 6, 2017, January 6, 2018 and January 6, 2019.
- (6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of Tetraphase Pharmaceuticals, Inc. for no consideration.

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