

Bowden Christopher  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Bowden Christopher

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AGIOS PHARMACEUTICALS INC  
 [AGIO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chief Medical Officer

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O AGIOS  
 PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 88  
 SIDNEY STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/10/2018

(Street)  
 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price   |
| Common stock                    | 07/10/2018                           |  | M <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 2,000   | A  | \$ 35.16  |
| Common stock                    | 07/10/2018                           |  | S <sup>(3)</sup>               |   | 1,200   | D  | \$ 86.42  |
| Common stock                    | 07/10/2018                           |  | S <sup>(3)</sup>               |   | 800   | D  | \$ 87.26  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | (4)   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | (5)   |

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 Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock option (right to buy)                | \$ 35.16   | 07/10/2018                           |  | M <sup>(1)</sup>               | 2,000   | <sup>(6)</sup> 05/30/2024                                | Common stock  | 2,000                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                       |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer               | Other |
| Bowden Christopher<br>C/O AGIOS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.<br>88 SIDNEY STREET<br>CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139 |               |           | Chief Medical Officer |       |

## Signatures

/s/ William Cook, as Attorney-in-fact for Christopher Bowden  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 07/12/2018

## 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) This exercise was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- (2) Includes 43 shares purchased through the Company's employee stock purchase plan.
- (3) This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- (4) The price reported is the weighted average of the shares sold. The shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$86.07 to \$87.06. The reporting person undertakes, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer, or a security holder of the

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issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

- The price reported is the weighted average of the shares sold. The shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$87.07 to \$87.38. The
- (5) reporting person undertakes, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
  - (6) This option was granted on May 31, 2014. The shares underlying this option vest as to 25% of the underlying shares on May 13, 2015, with the remaining 75% vesting in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter.

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