

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>STARR KEVIN P</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O THIRD ROCK VENTURES, LLC,</u> <u>29 NEWBURY STREET, 3RD FLOOR</u> (Street) <u>BOSTON MA 02116</u> (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Sage Therapeutics, Inc. [SAGE]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | |
| | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>07/18/2017</u> | | |
| | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | |
| 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

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 | 07/18/2017 | | j ⁽¹⁾ | | 800,000 | D | (1) | 1,092,916 | I | See Footnote ⁽²⁾ | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 258,292 ⁽³⁾ | D | | |

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 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) |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- Pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Third Rock Ventures II, L.P. ("TRV II"), Third Rock Ventures GP II, L.P. ("TRV GP II") and TRV GP II, LLC ("TRV GP II LLC"), TRV II distributed on July 18, 2017, for no consideration, 800,000 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer (the "Shares") to its limited partners and to TRV GP II, the general partner of TRV II, representing each such partner's pro rata interest in such Shares. On the same date, TRV GP II distributed, for no consideration, the Shares it received in the distribution by TRV II to its partners, representing each such partner's pro rata interest in such Shares. All of the aforementioned distributions were made in accordance with the exemptions afforded by Rules 16a-13 and 16a-9 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- These shares are directly held by TRV II. The general partner of TRV II is TRV GP II. The general partner of TRV GP II is TRV GP II LLC. The individual managers of TRV GP II LLC are Mark Levin ("Levin"), Kevin Starr ("Starr") and Dr. Robert Tepper ("Tepper"). Each of TRV GP II, TRV GP II LLC, Levin, Starr and Tepper disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares except to the extent of its or his pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that it or he is the beneficial owner of such shares.
- Includes 81,318 Shares received in connection with the distribution from TRV GP II described in footnote (1) above.

Remarks:

/s/ Kevin Gillis, as attorney-in-fact for Kevin Starr 07/19/2017

** 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).

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