#### HIGH SUSANNA GATTI

Form 4

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# FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HIGH SUSANNA GATTI	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol bluebird bio, Inc. [BLUE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
C/O BLUEBIRD BIO, INC., 60 BINNEY STREET	(Month/Day/Year) 01/30/2018	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Operating Officer		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ 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 Ben						or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			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)
Common Stock	01/30/2018		M	Amount 14,794	(D)	Price \$ 68.65	28,512	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2018		S <u>(1)</u>	800	D	\$ 192.4927 (2)	27,712	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2018		S <u>(1)</u>	3,703	D	\$ 193.7439 (3)	24,009	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2018		S <u>(1)</u>	4,657	D	\$ 194.6525 (4)	19,352	D	

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Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	2,039	D	\$ 195.5667 (5)	17,313	D
Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	1,702	D	\$ 196.6339 (6)	15,611	D
Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	1,385	D	\$ 197.6065 (7)	14,226	D
Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	490	D	\$ 198.4634 (8)	13,736	D
Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	697	D	\$ 199.4324 (9)	13,039	D
Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	733	D	\$ 200.8812 (10)	12,306	D
Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	770	D	\$ 201.5739 (11)	11,536	D
Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	204	D	\$ 202.6801 (12)	11,332	D
Common Stock	01/30/2018	S <u>(1)</u>	82	D	\$ 203.6 (13)	11,250	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)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration E (Month/Day,	ate		1 Amount of g Securities d 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Stock

Option Common (14) 12/01/2026 \$ 68.65 01/30/2018 14,794 14,794 M (right to Stock buy)

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Director Officer Other

HIGH SUSANNA GATTI C/O BLUEBIRD BIO, INC. **60 BINNEY STREET** CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

Chief Operating Officer

# **Signatures**

/s/ Jason F. Cole, 02/01/2018 Attorney-in-fact

\*\*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).
- This sales reported in the Form 4 were effectd pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December 18, 2017. **(1)**
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$192.00 to \$192.95. The average weighted price was \$192.4927. The **(2)** reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$193.10 to \$194.05. The average weighted price was \$193.7439. The reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number **(3)** of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$194.10 to \$195.05. The average weighted price was \$194.6525. The reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number **(4)** of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$195.10 to \$196.05. The average weighted price was \$195.5667. The **(5)** reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$196.10 to \$197.05. The average weighted price was \$196.6339. The reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$197.10 to \$198.00. The average weighted price was \$197.6065. The reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$198.10 to \$199.00. The average weighted price was \$198.4634. The **(8)** reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$199.10 to \$200.05. The average weighted price was \$199.4324. The reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$200.20 to \$201.10. The average weighted price was \$200.8812. The reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$201.30 to \$202.05. The average weighted price was \$201.5739. The (11) reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$202.40 to \$203.00. The average weighted price was \$202.6801. The (12) reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- The range in prices for the transaction reported on this line was \$203.50 to \$203.70. The average weighted price was \$203.60. The (13) reporting person will provide, upon request by the SEC, the issuer or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (14) This option vests over a four-year period at a rate of twenty-five percent (25%) on November 30, 2017, and in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter.

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