

Onconova Therapeutics, Inc.
 Form 4
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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MARINO JAMES J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**Onconova Therapeutics, Inc.
 [ONTX]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
07/26/2016

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

**C/O ONCONOVA
 THERAPEUTICS, 375 PHEASANT
 RUN**

(Street)

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

NEWTOWN, PA 18940

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	08/01/2016 ⁽¹⁾		X		24,405	A	4.1
							\$
							(1)
					24,415	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. 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Subscription Rights (right to buy)	\$ 4.1	07/26/2016 ⁽¹⁾		X	15	07/08/2016 07/26/2016	See Footnote <u>(1)</u>
Warrants (right to buy)	\$ 4.92	08/01/2016 ⁽¹⁾		X	18,303	07/29/2016 07/27/2021	Common Stock <u>(2)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARINO JAMES J C/O ONCONOVA THERAPEUTICS 375 PHEASANT RUN NEWTOWN, PA 18940	X			

Signatures

/s/ Ramesh Kumar as attorney-in-fact 08/10/2016
**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).
 The common stock and the warrants reported on this Form 4 were acquired pursuant to the exercise of subscription rights previously distributed by Onconova Therapeutics, Inc. (the "Company") to all holders of the Company's common stock. The subscription rights entitled each recipient thereof to purchase 1.5 units ("Units") for each share of stock owned. Each Unit consists of one share of the Company's common stock and 0.75 of a warrant, with each warrant representing the right to purchase one share of the Company's common stock. The purchase price for each Unit was \$4.10. Shareholders could also subscribe for an additional allocation of Units, for which rights were not exercised. This allocation to shareholders was completed on August 1, 2016.
- (2) Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one share of the Company's common stock at an exercise price of \$4.92 from the date of issuance through July 27, 2021.

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