FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MAIER PAUL V				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Eton Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [ ETON ]				(Ch	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner						
(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2024						_	(give title	Other (s below)		
C/O ETON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 21925 W. FIELD PARKWAY, SUITE 235			4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)	—  R  [	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.						to				
		Tab	le I - Non-D	erivativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	neficiall	y Owned			
Date			Fransaction te onth/Day/Y	Execution Date,		Code (Instr.   5)				es Forr ially (D) o Following (I) (II	m: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code V	Amount	t (A) or Pric		Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		Instr. 4)		
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  Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  4. Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (xecution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code	ransaction of Code (Instr. Derivative		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)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$4.42	02/13/2024		A		30,000		(1)	02/12/2034	Common Stock	30,000	\$0	164,555	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The shares subject to the option shall vest on a quarterly basis over 12 months from the date of grant until fully vested and exercisable on February 13, 2025.

The reporting person has authorized and designated the named person to file this Form 4 on the reporting person's behalf for indefinite duration.

/s/ James R. Gruber

02/15/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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