FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C	. 20549
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Instruction 1(b).

Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     RAAB MICHAEL						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ARDELYX, INC. [ ARDX ]								5. Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable)				on(s) to Is	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ARDELYX, INC. 400 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 210						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/26/2024								<b>V</b>	Office below	er (give title v) Presider	nt & C	Other (specify below)	
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If <i>I</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of 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					
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						Code V		Amount	(A) (D)	or Pr	ice	Transa	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			,,			
Common Stock 09/26/2					2024	2024			<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		3,000	Ι	) \$	6.07	7 1,217,608		]	D	
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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 Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Yo		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y O F D o (I	0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) For Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Transaction was made pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on December 13, 2023.
- 2. The shares are directly held by Michael G. Raab, Trustee of the Michael G. Raab Living Trust dated July 25, 2012.
- 3. The shares are owned directly by trusts for the benefit of the Reporting Person's children.

## Remarks:

/s/ Elizabeth Grammer,

Attorney-in-Fact for Michael

09/27/2024

Raab

\*\* 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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