FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person      Rosenbaum David P.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARDELYX, INC. [ ARDX ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner						
(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle) /O ARDELYX, INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/08/2023									X Officer (give title below)  Chief Development Officer					
34175 ARDENWOOD BLVD, SUITE 100					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) FREMONT	NT CA 94555															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(Stat	e) (Z	iip)		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.																
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curities	s Acq	uired, l	Disp	osed of	, or Be	net	ficially	Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D.					n/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				Beneficia Followin	s ally Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or	Price	Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 09/08.					3/2023		S <sup>(1)</sup>		2,897	' ]	)	\$4.55	367,022		D						
Common Stock													114,	225(2)	I		By Wife <sup>(3)</sup>				
Common Stock															77,592		I		Family Trust <sup>(4)</sup>		
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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)				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/E	n Dat		7. Title and A of Securities Underlying Derivative Se (Instr. 3 and		ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio	ly	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		mount r lumber f Shares		(Instr. 4)	(5)				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Transaction made pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on June 9, 2023.
- 2. Reflects the adjusted total which includes the purchase of 3,000 shares under the Ardelyx Employee Stock Purchase Plan on August 31, 2023.
- 3. The shares are directly held by the Reporting Person's wife.
- 4. The shares are directly held by David Paul Rosenbaum and Susan Edelstein Rosenbaum, Trustees of the David Paul Rosenbaum Family Trust.

/s/ Elizabeth Grammer, Attorney-in-Fact for David Rosenbaum

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

09/12/2023

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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