## 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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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Greenleaf Peter</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [ SCMP ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Executive Officer					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 805 KING FARM BLVD, SUITE 550						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2018								_ X						
(Street) ROCKVILLE MD 20850					4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City) (State) (Zip)														Person						
		Та	ble I - Nor	n-Deriv	vativ	ve Se	ecur	ities Ac	quired	Dis	posed c	of, or	Bene	ficially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/		//Year) Ex		eemed ution Date th/Day/Yea	Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (AD Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111511.4)		
Common Stock, Class A				02/13	3/20	3/2018					129,72	129,729(1)		\$18	0			D		
			Table II -								osed of onverti				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Daif any (Month/Day/	ate, Ti C	ransa Code (l	ansaction ode (Instr.		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Secur		curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
				С	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		expiration Date	Title	OI N	mount umber Shares		Transacti (Instr. 4)	on(s)			
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$8.49	02/13/2018			D			600,000	(2)	0	3/03/2024	Comi		00,000	\$9.51	0		D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$5.9	02/13/2018			D			200,000	(2)	0	7/31/2024	Comr		00,000	\$12.1	0		D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.82	02/13/2018			D			210,000	(2)	0	3/04/2025	Comr		10,000	\$3.18	0		D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$13.8	02/13/2018			D			420,000	(2)	0	3/02/2026	Comr		20,000	\$4.2	0		D		
Stock Option (right to	\$11.85	02/13/2018			D			237,000	(2)	0	3/02/2027	Comr		37,000	\$6.15	0		D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This common stock was purchased for \$18.00 per share share in cash, subject to any required withholding of taxes and without interest, upon the effective time of the merger of Sun Acquisition Co.with and into Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. pursuant to that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Mallinckrodt plc, Sun Acquisition Co. and Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. dated December 23, 2017 (the "Merger Agreement"). The common stock consisted of both common stock and restricted stock units that were accelerated as a result of the Merger Agreement.

/s/ Peter Greenleaf

02/13/2018

\*\* 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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<sup>2.</sup> This option was cancelled and converted into the right to receive in cash the amount per share by which \$18.00 exceeds the exercise price of the option, subject to any applicable tax witholdings (such amount, the "Option Spread"), upon the effective time of the merger of Sun Acquisition Co.with and into Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. pursuant to the Merger Agreement. The Option Spread for the unvested portion of the option, if any, will be paid in accordance with the schedule described in the Merger Agreement.