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* <u>Greenleaf Peter</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [SCMP]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							\dashv	v Off	Officer (give title pelow)		Other (specify below)	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 805 KING FARM BLVD, SUITE 550					09/30/2017									•	CEO	,	
(Street) ROCKVILLE MD 20850					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ne)	7			
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		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative S	ecurities Acc	quired,	Dis	osed o	of, c	or Ben	eficia	ally Ow	ned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					nd Secu Ben Own	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		wnership m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Tran	orted saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, Class A (ESPP) ⁽¹⁾ 09/30/					/2017		A	V	659		A	\$9.3	4,621			D	
		Та				urities Acqu s, warrants,							y Owne	d			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion Date Execution I ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Date,	4. Transactic Code (Insi 8)		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	•	An Se Un De Se	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		, [10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reporting person is voluntarily reporting the acquisition of common stock pursuant to the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan (ESPP) for the period July 1, 2017 through September 30, 2017. This transaction is exempt under Rule 16(b)-3(c).

Date

Exercisable

Expiration

2. In accordance with the ESPP, these shares were purchased at 85% of the July 3, 2017 closing price of the issuer's common stock.

/s/ Peter Greenleaf

Amount or Number

of Shares

Title

10/05/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

" Signature of Reporting Person

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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