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*     Yanai Shlomo						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PDL BIOPHARMA, INC. [PDLI]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
																Direc			Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 932 SOUTHWOOD BLVD.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/08/2018										Officer (give title below)		Othe belo	r (specify w)	
(Street) INCLINE VILLAGE NV 89451					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally O	wne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,					ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Se Be Ow		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	,  т	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(IIISU. 4)	
Common stock 06/08/2					/2018						54,348	(1) A \$2		\$2.	2.76 54,348		4,348	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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Date,	Code (Instr.		n of		6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e	Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	vative irity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The grant will cliff-vest on the first anniversary of the date of grant so long as the grant recipient continues to serve on the Board of Directors of PDL BioPharma, Inc.

## Remarks:

/s/ Nathan N. Kryszak

Attorney-In-Fact for Shlomo 06/12/2018

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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