FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

					or s	Section	n 30(h)	of the I	nvestme	nt Co	mpany Act	of 19	40								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GRYSKA DAVID W						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PDL BIOPHARMA, INC. [PDLI]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
GRISKA DAVID W															X	Direc	tor		10% O	wner	
(Last) 932 SOU	(Fi	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/08/2018										Office	cer (give title w)		Other (specify below)		
(Street)					4. If	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						
VILLAG	AGE NV 89451														Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																		
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ay/Year) Exc		A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Se Be Ov		Securities Beneficially Dwned Following		ership Direct Idirect I. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common stock 06					06/08/2018						54,348	(1)	A \$2		.76	6 219,511		Г)		
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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/\)	Date, Transaction Code (Ins					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3		vative irity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	n: ct (D) idirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v					Expiration Date	Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		nber							

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.

(A) (D)

Remarks:

/s/ Nathan N. Kryszak, 06/12/2018 Attorney-in-Fact for David W. **Gryska**

** 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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