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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Monnet Dominique</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>932 SOUTHWOOD BLVD.</u> (Street) <u>INCLINE NV 89451</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>PDL BIOPHARMA, INC. [PDLI]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>President and CEO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/28/2019</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common stock	03/28/2019		A		431,317 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$3.72	653,902	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of 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)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$3.72	03/28/2019		A		2,450,000			(2)	03/28/2019	Common stock	2,450,000	\$0	2,450,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The restricted stock units will vest as follows: (a) one-third (1/3) of the shares subject to the award shall vest on the one year anniversary of January 1, 2019, (b) one-third (1/3) of the shares subject to the award shall vest on the two year anniversary of January 1, 2019, and (c) one-third (1/3) of the shares subject to the award shall vest on the three year anniversary of January 1, 2019.
- The stock options will vest as follows: (a) 25% of the shares subject to the option shall vest on the one year anniversary of January 1, 2019 and (b) 75% of the shares subject to the option shall vest on a monthly basis pro rata over the thirty-six (36) months following the one year anniversary of January 1, 2019, provided that the recipient's continuous service has not terminated prior to the applicable vesting date, subject to earlier vesting upon a change in control and certain qualifying terminations of employment provided in the severance agreement between the issuer and the recipient.

Remarks:

/s/ Nathan Kryszak, Attorney-in-Fact for Dominique Monnet 03/29/2019

** 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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