

Leuthner Brian A  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Leuthner Brian A

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
300 CONNELL DRIVE,, SUITE 4000  
(Street)

BERKELEY HEIGHTS, NJ 07922

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Edge Therapeutics, Inc. [EDGE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/01/2018		S <sup>(1)</sup>		2,500	D	\$ 14.81 <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock	03/02/2018		S <sup>(1)</sup>		2,500	D	\$ 15.08 <u>(3)</u>
Common Stock						I	162,000
Common Stock						I	223,622
							By Spouse <u>(4)</u>
							By Trust <u>(5)</u>

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**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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right To Purchase)	\$ 14.98	03/01/2018		A	280,000	<u>(6)</u> 03/01/2028	Common Stock 280,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Leuthner Brian A 300 CONNELL DRIVE, SUITE 4000 BERKELEY HEIGHTS, NJ 07922	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Albert N. Marchio II,  
attorney-in-fact

03/05/2018

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

(1) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person.

The reported price in Column 4 is a weighted average sales price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$14.44 to \$15.29 per share. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

(3) The reported price in Column 4 is a weighted average sales price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$14.79 to \$15.31 per share. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the

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range set forth in this footnote.

- (4) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed as an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (5) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed as an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

This option, representing a right to purchase a total of 280,000 shares of Common Stock, will become exercisable on March 1, 2019, with

- (6) 25% vesting on that date and the remaining 75% vesting in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, subject to continued service to the Issuer through each vesting date.

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