CRISPR Therapeutics AG Form 4 October 20, 2016

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GLAXOSMITHKLINE PLC

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CRISPR Therapeutics AG [CRSP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

980 GREAT WEST ROAD

10/18/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

_ Other (specify Officer (give title below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Code

(Instr. 8)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

BRENTFORD. MIDDLESEX,, X0 TW8 9GS

(City) (State) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Security

(Instr. 3)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(A) or

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

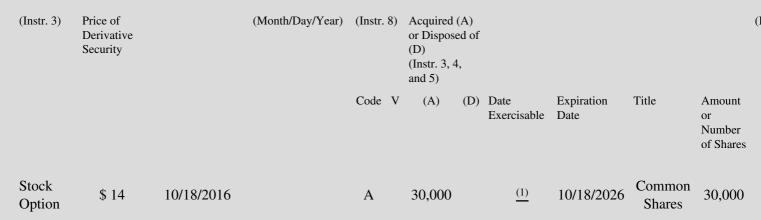
Execution Date, if any

5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GLAXOSMITHKLINE PLC 980 GREAT WEST ROAD BRENTFORD, MIDDLESEX,, X0 TW8 9GS

Signatures

/s/ Simon

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**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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- * 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).

This stock option was granted on October 18, 2016 with respect to 30,000 Common Shares with 100% of the shares vesting in 36 equal monthly installments beginning October 31, 2016. The stock option was granted to Simeon J. George as director's compensation. As a Vice President at S.R. One, Limited and an employee of GlaxoSmithKline LLC, Simeon J. George is obligated to transfer any shares issued under the stock option to S.R. One, Limited, an indirect, wholly-owned subsidiary of GlaxoSmithKline plc.

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