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*     Schmid John P.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Xeris Biopharma Holdings, Inc. [XERS]								(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner				
(Last)	,	irst) ARMA HOLDI	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/05/2021								Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
180 N. LASALLE STREET, SUITE 1600							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)	GO IL	•	60601											X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Se	curities	s Acc	quired,	Disp	osed o	f, or B	enefi	cially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transar Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquire Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 5)			red (A str. 3,	) or 4 and	5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	es ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
					Code	v	Amount	t (A) or Pr		rice	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock 10/05/					5/2021		A <sup>(1)</sup>		5,659 A			(1)	5,0	5,659		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 I if any (Month/Day	Date, 7	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ı of l		6. Date Exercisat Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	re es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$12.5	10/05/2021			A <sup>(2)</sup>		25,220		(3)	0	5/15/2028	Commor Stock	25,	220	(2)	25,22	0	D	
Stock Option	<b>#10</b>	10/05/2021			.(2)		20,000		(2)		2/25/2020	Commor		,,,[	(2)	20.00			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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1. On October 5, 2021, pursuant to the transaction agreement dated as of May 24, 2021 ("Transaction Agreement") by and among Xeris Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("Xeris"), Strongbridge Biopharma plo ("Strongbridge"), the Issuer ("HoldCo") and Wells MergerSub, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of HoldCo ("MergerSub"), HoldCo acquired the entire issued and to be issued ordinary share capital of Strongbridge (the "Acquisition"), and MergerSub merged with and into Xeris, with Xeris continuing as the surviving corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of HoldCo (the "Merger", and together with the Acquisition, the "Transaction"). At the effective time of the Merger (the "Merger Effective Time"), all existing shares of Xeris common stock (the "Xeris common stock") were cancelled and automatically converted into the right to receive HoldCo common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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- 2. At the Merger Effective Time, each option to purchase shares of Xeris common stock (the "Xeris Option") that was outstanding immediately prior to the Merger Effective Time, whether vested or unvested, was automatically converted into an option to purchase shares of HoldCo common stock (the "HoldCo Option"), on the same terms and conditions including any applicable vesting and exercisability requirements) as were applicable to such Xeris Option immediately prior to the Merger Effective Time, including that the number of shares of HoldCo common stock subject to the HoldCo Option is equal to the number of shares that were subject to the Xeris Option and the exercise price applicable to the HoldCo Option is the same as applied to the Xeris Option.
- 3. These options are fully vested as of the date hereof
- 4. Such options will vest in full upon the earlier to occur of June 8, 2022 or the date of the Company's next annual meeting of stockholders

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/s/ Beth Hecht, as Attorney-in-

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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