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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] dEsparbes Eric		,*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Innoviva, Inc. [INVA]		tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable) Director	10% Owner Other (specify below)
(Last) (First) (M 2000 SIERRA POINT PARKWAY SUITE 500		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2018	Х	Officer (give title below) Interim PEO, SVP a	
(Street) BRISBANE (City)	CA (State)	94005 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than (Person	ing Person

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. Transa Code (8)						6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/20/2018		F		24,876 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$16.44	297,188	D	
Common Stock	02/21/2018		S		5,378 ⁽²⁾	D	\$16.5164 ⁽³⁾	291,810 ⁽⁴⁾	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. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	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				

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares were withheld by the Issuer to satisfy income tax withholding obligations associated with the quarterly vesting of previously granted employee equity grants.

2. This sale was effected for tax planning purposes pursuant to the Reporting Person's Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan dated September 20, 2017.

3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$16.31 to \$16.62, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote (3) to this Form 4.

4. Includes 322 shares of common stock acquired under the Innoviva, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on November 15, 2017.

Eric d'Esparbes

** 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).

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