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## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	,		or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Barbier Ann			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PIERIS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. PIRS		ationship of Reporting ( all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PIERIS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 255 STATE STREET, 9TH FLOOR		FICALS, INC.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2019		below)	below)
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group	Filing (Check Applicable Reporting Person
BOSTON	MA	02109			Form filed by More Person	than One Reporting
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

## 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)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)

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)		n of		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)	\$2.74	01/25/2019		A		20,000		(1)	01/25/2029	Common Stock	20,000	\$0.00	20,000	D	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

1. The stock option will vest as to 100% of the underlying shares on January 25, 2020, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service as a director through the vesting date. **Remarks:** 

<u>/s/ Marc D. Mantell, Esq</u> ,	
Attorney-in-Fact	

01/29/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

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