FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PORTAGE BIOTECH INC.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Biohaven Pharmaceutical Holding Co Ltd.</u> BHVN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) X Other (specify below)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 47 AVENUE ROAD SUITE 200		(middie)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2018	former 10% owner				
(Street) TORONTO (City)	A6 (State)	M5R 2G3 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/Year		2A. Deemed 3. Execution Date, Transaction if any Code (Instr. (Month/Day/Year) 8)		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	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/19/2018		S ⁽¹⁾		35,119	D	\$30.0348(2)	78,771 ⁽⁴⁾	D	
Common Stock	01/23/2018		S ⁽¹⁾		24,277	D	\$331,520 ⁽³⁾	54 , 494 ⁽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)				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 sales reported in the Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 17, 2017.

2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$30.00 - \$30.18, inclusive. 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 (2) to this Form 4.

3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.00 - \$33.25, inclusive. 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 (2) to this Form 4.

4. The reduction in shares reflects the sale of shares reported upon and the dividend distribution of 6,102,729 shares of common stock completed on January 16, 2018.

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** Signature of	Reporting Person

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

01/24/2018

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

 \star 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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