## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, [	D.C. 20549
---------------	------------

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5	STATE
obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).	

## MENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

OMB APPROVAL OMB Number: Estimated average burden hours per response: 0.5

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Maxwell John T.						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Aquestive Therapeutics, Inc. [ AQST ]									Check	all app	licable)		Owner er (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AQUESTIVE THERAPEUTICS, INC. 30 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2018										X	belov	v) ``	belo inancial Offi	w)
(Street) WARREN NJ 07059 (City) (State) (Zip)					_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  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)  2. Transa Date (Month/D						ar)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dis		Disposed	Securities Acquired (A sposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and S		ount of ties cially I Following ted	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)			
Common Stock 12/06					6/2018				P		5,000	0 A		\$8.	.87 153		53,614	D <sup>(1)</sup>	
	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					Transaction Code (Instr.		mber ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe			nt		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	of Sha	res					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Includes 10,000 shares owned jointly with Mr. Maxwell's spouse.

/s/ Robert Arnold, as Attorney- 12/07/2018

In-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.