FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BROWN GREGORY B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Aquestive Therapeutics, Inc. [ AQST ]								ck all applica Director	able)	ing Person(s) to Issi 10% Ov		wner				
(Last)	,	irst) THERAPEUTIC	(Middle) S, INC.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2021								Officer ( below)	(give title		Other (specify below)		
30 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE				4. If	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)								
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
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							Code	· v	Amount	(A) ( (D)	or P	Price Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a		ion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				75,085		085	35 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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo	Co	ransact ode (In		5. Numb of Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (II 3, 4 and	ve es d	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/I	n Dat		7. Title a of Secur Underlyi Derivativ (Instr. 3	ities ing ve Sec	curity	Derivative   Gerivative   Security   Securities   Form:   Direct (I   Owned   Or Indire		Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$4.04	06/15/2021			A		20,000		06/15/20	22 <sup>(1)</sup>	06/15/2031	Commor Stock	20	,000	\$0	20,000	0	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares underlying the options vest as follows: 100% of the underlying shares vest June 15, 2022, subject to Dr. Brown's continuous service with the Issuer from the grant date through the applicable vesting

## Remarks:

/s/ Lori Braender, as Attorney-

06/17/2021

In-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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