

High Katherine A  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
High Katherine A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SPARK THERAPEUTICS,  
INC., 3737 MARKET STREET,  
SUITE 1300

(Street)

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19104

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Spark Therapeutics, Inc. [ONCE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/31/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
See Remarks

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price (A) or (D)		
Common Stock	10/31/2017		M		5,000 A \$ 3.45	D	
Common Stock	10/31/2017		S <sup>(1)</sup>		5,000 D \$ 83.3	D	

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

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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.45	10/31/2017		M	5,000	<sup>(3)</sup> 07/02/2024	Common Stock	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
High Katherine A C/O SPARK THERAPEUTICS, INC. 3737 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1300 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19104	X		See Remarks	

## Signatures

/s/ Joseph W. La Barge, attorney-in-fact for Katherine A.  
High  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person  
 11/06/2017  
 Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) The sales reported in the Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on February 28, 2017.  
 The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$83.08 to \$83.75, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Spark Therapeutics, Inc., any security holder of Spark Therapeutics, Inc., 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 ranges set forth in footnote (1) to this Form 4.
- (3) This option was granted on July 2, 2014 and vests over four years, with 25% of the shares underlying the option vesting on May 24, 2015, and the remainder vesting quarterly thereafter.

### Remarks:

President and Head of Research and Development

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