## FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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obligations may continue. See
Instruction 1(b).

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PFENNIGER RICHARD C JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TRANSENTERIX INC. [ TRXC ]								of Reporting cable) or	g Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow		
(Last) 635 DAV	(F VIS DRIVE	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/24/2018								Officer below)	(give title		Other (sp below)	pecify	
SUITE 300					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) MORRISVILLE NC 27560													X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	(State) (Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Date				?. Transactio Date Month/Day/\	rear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		3. Transaction Code (Instr. r) 8)					Beneficia Owned F	es ally Following	6. Own Form: I (D) or I (I) (Inst	Direct of Endirect Etr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 05/24/					2018		A		20,36	20,362 A		168	168,362		D			
		-	Fable II - De (e	erivative .g., puts									Owned					
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	Code				6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day	Date		7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (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)		Date Exercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option Award	\$3.17	05/24/2018		A		35,592		(3)	0	5/24/2028	Common Stock	35,592	\$0.00	35,592		D		

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents restricted stock units. Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of the Registrant's common stock.
- 2. The restricted stock units remain subject to forfeiture until the first anniversary of the date of grant or, if earlier, the date of the next annual meeting of stockholders, as long as the reporting person remains in continuous service during the vesting period.
- 3. The vesting schedule is 25% of the stock option award on each of July 1, 2018, October 1, 2018, January 1, 2019 and April 1, 2019.

### Remarks:

/s/ Joshua Weingard attorneyin-fact for Richard C. Pfenniger

05/29/2018

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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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