FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			of Section So(n) of the investment Company Act of 1940	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Smith Eric A (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O TRANSENTERIX, INC. 635 DAVIS DRIVE, SUITE 300			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>TRANSENTERIX INC.</u> [TRXC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/06/2019	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chief Commercial Officer
(Street) MORRISVILLE (City)	·	27560 (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
	Ti	able I - Non-Deriva	ative Securities Acquired. Disposed of, or Benefic	cially Owned

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)					Securities Beneficially Owned Following	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 		(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)		Derivative		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	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	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		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Stock Option	\$2.47	02/06/2019		Α		526,000		(1)	02/06/2029	Common Stock	526,000	\$0.00	526,000	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	02/06/2019		A		350,000		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	350,000	\$0.00	350,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Vests 25% on the first anniversary of the date of grant and 1/48th of the entire award monthly on the vesting date anniversary for 36 months, subject to acceleration as set forth in the Incentive Plan and the Reporting Person's Employment Agreement with the Company.

2. Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one share of the Registrant's common stock.

3. Forfeiture restrictions will lapse on the restricted stock units in three substantially equal annual installments of 116,667, 116,667 and 116,666 on February 4, 2020, 2021 and 2022 as long as the Reporting Person remains in the employ of the Registrant, subject to acceleration as set forth in the Incentive Plan and the Reporting Person's Employment Agreement with the Company.

Remarks:



Smith

02/06/2019

** 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).

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