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C/O LEAP THERAPEUTICS, INC. 47 THORNDIKE STREET SUITE B1-1

MA

02141

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HealthCare Ventures VIII, L.P. 2. Date of Event Requiring Statem (Month/Day/Year) 01/20/2017		nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Tra LEAP THERAPEUTIO	ding Symbol	[LPTX]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LEAP THERAPEUTICS, INC.				Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
47 THORNDIKE STREET SUITE B1- (Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02141	.1			Officer (give title below)	Other (spe		Applicab I v I	ole Line) Form filed b	t/Group Filing (Che by One Reporting P by More than One Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)										
	T	able I - Non	-Derivati	ive Securities Beneficial	ly Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				. Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownersh Form: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 5)	cṫ (D) (I	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock				2,618,406	D ⁽¹⁾					
	(e.g			e Securities Beneficially nts, options, convertible		es)				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		2. Date Exerc Expiration Day/ (Month/Day/	ate	3. Title and Amount of Secur Underlying Derivative Secur		4. Convers or Exerc	ise Fo	Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
		Date Exercisable	Expiratior Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivativ Security	/e or	Indirect (Instr. 5)		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HealthCare Ventures VIII, L.P.</u>										
(Last) (First) C/O LEAP THERAPEUTICS, INC. 47 THORNDIKE STREET SUITE B1-	(Middle)									
(Street) CAMBRIDGE MA	02141									
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HealthCare Partners VIII, L.P.										
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* HealthCare Partners VIII, LLC										
(Last) (First)	(Middle)									

(City)	(State)	(Zip)				
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WERNER HAROLD R						
(Last) C/O LEAP THER	(First)	(Middle)				
47 THORNDIKE STREET SUITE B1-1						
(Street) CAMBRIDGE	MA	02141				
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Explanation of Responses:

1. 2,618,406 shares are held of record by HealthCare Ventures VIII, L.P. Christopher K. Mirabelli, James H. Cavanaugh, John W. Littlechild, Harold Werner and Augustine Lawlor (collectively, the "HCVVIII Directors") are the Managing Directors of HealthCare Partners VIII, LLC ("HCPVIII LLC"), which is the General Partner of HealthCare Partners VIII, L.P. ("HCPVIII"), which is the General Partner of HealthCare Ventures VIII, L.P. Each of the HCVVIII Directors, including Harold Werner, HCPVIII LLC and HCPVIII indirectly beneficially own and share voting and dispositive power with respect to all of the securities owned by HealthCare Ventures VIII, L.P and disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his or its proportionate pecuniary interest in these securities.

Administrative Officer for <u>HealthCare Partners VIII, LLC</u>
/s/ Jeffrey Steinberg as
Administrative Officer for

HealthCare Partners VIII, LLC, 01/23/2017

the General Partner of HealthCare Partners VIII, L.P.

/s/ Jeffrey Steinberg as

/s/ Jeffrey Steinberg as
Administrative Officer for

<u>HealthCare Partners VIII, LLC,</u>

the General Partner of 01/23/2017

<u>HealthCare Partners VIII, L.P.,</u> <u>the General Partner of</u>

<u>HealthCare Ventures VIII, L.P.</u>

<u>/s/ Jeffrey Steinberg as</u>

attorney-in-fact for Harold 01/23/2017

Werner

** 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 5 (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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