FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Instruct	ion 1(b).			File							urities Exchan Company Act		f 1934			<u> </u>				
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Vivo Capital VIII, LLC</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Crinetics Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [CRNX]							Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)								
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VIVO CAPITAL LLC 192 LYTTON AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/20/2019															
192 LYTTON AVENUE				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)									
(Street) PALO A	LTO CA	A 9	94301												Forn	n filed by		eporting F nan One F		g
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - N	lon-Deriv	ative	Sec	urities	Ac	quire	d, D	isposed o	f, or E	Benefic	cia	lly Owne	ed				
Date			2. Transacti Date (Month/Day		Execu	2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			Acquired (A) or (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		d	5. Amoun Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	s Ily	Form: (D) or	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and			(Ins		(Instr. 4))	
Common Stock			03/20/20	019				S		292,609	D	\$22.	.25 2,73		,730		I See Foo		ote ⁽¹⁾⁽⁴⁾	
Common Stock			03/20/20	019				S		40,407	D	\$22.	22.25		377,355		I S		ote ⁽²⁾⁽⁴⁾	
Common Stock 03/20			03/20/20	019	19			S		83,984	D	\$22.	25	210,373				See Footno	ote ⁽³⁾⁽⁵⁾	
		Та	ble II								posed of, convertib				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Security 3. Transaction Date Execution D if any (Month/Day/Derivative Security		tion Date,		Transaction of Code (Instr. B) S A		ber ive ies ed ed	6. Date Exe Expiration I (Month/Day			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins and 4)		1	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reporter Transact (Instr. 4)	re es ally g d	10. Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	ip of In Ber Ow ct (Ins	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)		
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Vivo Capital Y	VIII, LLC					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)				
C/O VIVO CAPI	TAL LLC					
192 LYTTON AV	VENUE					
(Street)						
PALO ALTO	CA	94301				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				
	s of Reporting Person* Fund VIII, L.P.					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)				
192 LYTTON AV	VENUE					
(Street)			_			
PALO ALTO	CA	94301				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	_			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						

Vivo Capital Surplus Fund VIII, L.P.						
(Last) 192 LYTTON AV	(First) ENUE	(Middle)				
(Street) PALO ALTO	CA	94301				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				
1. Name and Address <u>Vivo Opportun</u>						
(Last) 192 LYTTON AV	(First) ENUE	(Middle)				
(Street) PALO ALTO	CA	94301				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				
Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Vivo Opportunity Fund, L.P.</u>						
(Last) 192 LYTTON AV	(First) ENUE	(Middle)				
(Street) PALO ALTO	CA	94301				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These securities are held of record by Vivo Capital Fund VIII, L.P. ("VCF").
- 2. These securities are held of record by Vivo Capital Surplus Fund VIII, L.P. ("VCSF").
- 3. These securities are held of record by Vivo Opportunity Fund, L.P. ("VOF").
- 4. Vivo Capital VIII, LLC ("Vivo LLC") is the general partner of VCF and VCSF. The voting members of Vivo LLC are Frank Kung, Albert Cha, Edgar Engleman, Chen Yu and Shan Fu, none of whom has individual voting or investment power with respect to these securities. Each of the above-listed individuals disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of the reported securities for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
- 5. Vivo Opportunity, LLC is the general partner of VOF. The voting members of Vivo Opportunity, LLC are Frank Kung, Albert Cha, Shan Fu, Gaurav Aggarwal and Michael Chang, none of whom has individual voting or investment power with respect to these securities. Each of the above-listed individuals disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of the reported securities for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes

/s/ Albert Cha as managing member of Vivo Capital VIII, LLC	03/22/2019
/s/ Albert Cha as a managing member of Vivo Capital VIII, LLC, the general partner of Vivo Capital Fund VIII, L.P.	03/22/2019
/s/ Albert Cha as a managing member of Vivo Capital VIII, LLC, the general partner of Vivo Capital Surplus Fund VIII, L.P.	03/22/2019
/s/ Albert Cha as a managing member of Vivo Opportunity, LLC	03/22/2019
/s/ Albert Cha as a managing member of Vivo Opportunity, LLC, the general partner of Vivo Opportunity Fund, L.P.	03/22/2019
** 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).
- ** 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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