Edge Therapeutics, Inc.

Form 4 June 23, 2016

FORM 4

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Section 16.

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ratcliffe Liam

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Edge Therapeutics, Inc. [EDGE]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/21/2016

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

C/O NEW LEAF

VENTURES, TIMES SQ. TWR., 7 TIMES SQUARE, STE 3502

(State)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City)

(Instr. 3)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

5. Number of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactiorDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Sha
Stock Option (right to	\$ 9.34	06/21/2016		A	30,000	06/21/2017 <u>(1)</u>	06/21/2026	Common Stock	30,00

Reporting Owners

purchase)

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Ratcliffe Liam C/O NEW LEAF VENTURES TIMES SQ. TWR., 7 TIMES SQUARE, STE 3502 NEW YORK, NY 10036	X				
New Leaf Venture Partners, L.L.C. C/O NEW LEAF VENTURES TIMES SQ. TWR., 7 TIMES SQUARE, STE 3502 NEW YORK, NY 10036	X				

Signatures

/s/ Craig L. Slutzkin, as Attorney-in-Fact for Liam Ratcliffe	06/23/2016
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Craig L. Slutzkin, Chief Financial Officer of New Leaf Venture Partners, L.L.C.	06/23/2016
**Signature of Reporting Person	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) One third of the option shares vest upon each of the first, second, and third anniversaries of the Transaction Date.
 - The option to purchase Common Stock is held directly by Liam Ratcliffe ("Ratcliffe"). Ratcliffe has contractually agreed with New Leaf Venture Partners, L.L.C. (the "Management Company") to exercise the option and sell the shares to be received upon exercise of the
- (2) option only at the direction of the Management Company. Philippe Chambon, Jeani Delagardelle, Ronald M. Hunt, Vijay Lathi, Liam Ratcliffe and Craig Slutzkin, the officers of the Management Company, disclaim beneficial ownership of such option and shares to be received upon exercise of such option except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.

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