

TESARO, Inc.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Farmer Joseph L

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O TESARO, INC., 1000 WINTER STREET, SUITE 3300  
(Street)

WALTHAM, MA 02451

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TESARO, Inc. [TSRO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Sr VP, Gen. Counsel & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/01/2017		M	4,375 A \$ 0	5,268 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2017		S <sup>(2)</sup>	1,449 D \$ 177.61	3,819	D	

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	03/01/2017		M		(4) (4)	Common Stock	4,375
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	03/01/2017		A	5,930	(5) (5)	Common Stock	5,930
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 178.95	03/01/2017		A	10,782	(6) 03/01/2027	Common Stock	10,782

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Farmer Joseph L C/O TESARO, INC. 1000 WINTER STREET, SUITE 3300 WALTHAM, MA 02451			Sr VP, Gen. Counsel & Secretary	

## Signatures

/s/ Joseph L. Farmer 03/03/2017

\*\*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) Includes 893 shares purchased pursuant to the TESARO, Inc. 2012 Employee Stock Purchase Plan in transactions that were exempt under Section 16b-3(c) and Section 16b-3(d).
- (2) This sale was effected pursuant to the terms of a 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person and was made in order to pay the tax liability arising from the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of TESARO common stock.

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- (4) The restricted stock units were granted on March 1, 2016 and vest in four equal annual installments beginning on March 1, 2017.
- (5) The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning on March 1, 2018.
- (6) The option vests in 48 equal monthly installments beginning on April 1, 2017.

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