FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Bisgaier Charles PhD					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Gemphire Therapeutics Inc. [ GEMP ]							ck all application	able)	erson(s) to Iss	wner
(Last) 43334 SI SUITE 1	EVEN MIL	,	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/04/2016						, ,	below)	er (give title Other ( v) below) ief Scien. Officer & Chair		·
(Street) NORTH (City)			48167 (Zip)	4.	If Ame	endment, [	Date (	of Original File	ed (Month/Da	ay/Year)	6. Inc Line)	Form fil	ed by One Re	ng (Check Ap eporting Perso an One Repo	n
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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	onversion   Date   Execution Date,   Transa   Code (		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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	t (Instr. 4)		ə) 	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10	08/04/2016		A		150,000		(1)	08/03/2026	Common Stock	150,000	\$0	150,000	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The option vests in 48 equal consecutive monthly increments, so that all of the shares will be vested on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant.

Stephanie Swan, by Power of **Attorney** 

08/05/2016

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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