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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Mehta Vimal		Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BioXcel Therapeutics, Inc. [BTAI]	S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner
	(First) EL THERAPEUT WHARF DRIVE,		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2023	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO and President
(Street) NEW HAVE	EN CT	06511	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X 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. Transa Code (8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/14/2023		M		10,437	A	(1)	20,394	D			
Common Stock								8,546,750	I	See footnote ⁽²⁾		
Common Stock								2,000	I	By spouse		

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transa Code (8)		Derivative		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)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/14/2023		М			10,437	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	10,437	\$0	31,313	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/15/2023		A		56,000		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	56,000	\$0	56,000	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$19.6	03/15/2023		A		168,000		(5)	03/15/2033	Common Stock	168,000	\$0	168,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Common Stock.
- 2. These securities are held of record by BioXcel LLC. BioXcel LLC is a subsidiary of BioXcel Holdings, Inc. ("Parent"). The Reporting Person is a manager and officer of BioXcel LLC and is a director, officer and stockholder of Parent. By virtue of these relationships, the Reporting Person may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the securities held of record by BioXcel LLC. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, if any. This report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for the purpose of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- 3. On March 14, 2022, the Reporting Person was granted 41,750 RSUs, vesting as to 25% of the total number of RSUs on the first anniversary of March 14, 2022 and as to 6.25% of the total number of RSUs at the end of each successive three-month period thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous employment with the Issuer through the relevant vesting dates
- 4. The RSUs will vest and settle as to 25% of the total number of RSUs on the first anniversary of March 15, 2023 and as to 6.25% of the total number of Restricted Stock Units at the end of each successive threemonth period thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous employment with the Issuer through the relevant vesting dates.
- 5. The option vests and becomes exercisable as to 25% of the underlying shares on the first anniversary of March 15, 2023 and the remaining 75% of the underlying shares in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous employment with the Issuer through the relevant vesting dates.

/s/ Javier Rodriguez, as Attorney 03/16/2023 in Fact for Vimal Mehta, Ph.D.

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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