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FORM 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ji Henry			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Sorrento Therapeutics, Inc. [SRNE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director 10% Owner		
C/O SORRENTO THERAPEUTICS, INC., 4955 DIRECTORS PLACE			07/20/2018	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) See Remarks		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN DIEGO	o. CA 92121	1	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
	,			Person		

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acc	quired, Disposed (of, or Beneficial	lly 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. Securi on(A) or Di (D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	d of	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)
Common Stock	07/20/2018		M	6,000	A	\$ 1.75	2,045,807 (1)	D	
Common Stock							2,271,693 (1)	I	See Footnote (2)
Common Stock							40,000 (1)	I	By spouse

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 E S (1
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock	\$ 1.75	07/20/2018		M	6,000	(3)	02/16/2020	Common Stock	6,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Ji Henry C/O SORRENTO THERAPEUTICS, INC. 4955 DIRECTORS PLACE SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	X		See Remarks			

Signatures

/s/ Henry Ji,
Ph.D.

**Signature of Reporting Person

O7/23/2018

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).

Since February 28, 2018, the date of the Reporting Person's last Form 4 disclosing holdings under Table I of Form 4 (the "Prior Form 4"), the Reporting Person has transferred shares of Common Stock among his direct holdings, the holdings of his spouse, the holdings of

- (1) family trusts of which the Reporting Person is co-trustee with his spouse and the holdings of an entity of which the Reporting Person and his spouse are the sole members and managing directors. 2,999 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by the Reporting Person were also inadvertently omitted from the Prior Form 4.
- (2) Shares are held in family trusts of which the Reporting Person is a co-trustee with his spouse.
- (3) This option vested over a four-year period commencing on February 16, 2010, with 25% of the shares subject to the option vesting on each anniversary of the vesting commencement date. The shares were fully vested as of February 16, 2014.

Reporting Owners 2

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Remarks:

President, CEO and Chairman of the Board of Directors

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