FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Roberts Calvin W.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IVERIC bio, Inc. [ISEE]						(Ch	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
	RIC BIO, I	NC.	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2019							_	Officer (give title			Other (specify below)	
ONE PENN PLAZA, 35TH FLOOR				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) NEW YO	ORK N	Y	10119									X Form f	led by One led by More		•		
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
Date				Transactior te onth/Day/Yo	Execution Date,		3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Code (Instr. 5) 1) 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			Beneficia	es Form ally (D) o following (I) (Ir		Direct of Endirect Etr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
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		3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	y [1	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						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$1.39	05/15/2019		A		16,000		(1)	05/14/2029	Common Stock	16,000	\$0.00	16,000		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Subject to Reporting Person providing continued services to the Issuer and other terms and conditions under the Issuer's 2013 Stock Incentive Plan, the option will vest and become exercisable in 12 consecutive, equal installments on each consecutive monthly anniversary of the date of grant, until fully vested and exercisable on the first anniversary of the date of grant. Any unvested shares subject to the option will be accelerated in full one business day prior to the Issuer's 2020 annual meeting of stockholders.

> /s/ Todd Anderman, as Attorney-in-Fact for Calvin W. 05/16/2019 Roberts

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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