FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D	C. 20549
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CHAUDHURI BHASKAR				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Arcutis Biotherapeutics, Inc. [ ARQT ]										ationship of Reporting all applicable)  Director  Officer (give title		10% O		wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ARCUTIS BIOTHERAPEUTICS, INC. 3027 TOWNSGATE ROAD, SUITE 300						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2021									below			below)	specify	
(Street) WESTLAKE VILLAGE CA 91361				4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Ferson						
(City)	(St	ate) (Z	Zip)																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear)	Execution		C			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			d 5) Secur Benef		ities F icially (I d Following Ir		n: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									ode	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)		4)	(111541. 4)	
Common Stock 02/22/2021				1	1		S	S <sup>(1)</sup>		7,211	D	\$35.3	44(2)	88	884,180		D			
Common Stock 02/22/2				02/22/202	1		2		S <sup>(1)</sup>		2,789	D	\$35.97	5.9718 <sup>(3)</sup>		881,391		D		
Common Stock															4	9,981			By Trust <sup>(4)</sup>	
	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)	Exe if ar	Deemed cution Date, ny nth/Day/Year)		saction e (Instr.	of Deriva Secur Acqui (A) or Dispos of (D)	erivative ecurities .cquired A) or isposed f (D) nstr. 3, 4		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yes		Amo Secu Unde Deriv Secu	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	,	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code V (A) (D				Date ) Exercisable		Expiration Date	n Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Transaction made pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person.
- 2. The transaction was executed in multiple trades in prices ranging from \$34.80 to \$35.76, inclusive. The price reported in Column 4 above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 3. The transaction was executed in multiple trades in prices ranging from \$35.80 to \$36.15, inclusive. The price reported in Column 4 above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 4. The securities are held of record by The Chaudhuri Family Trust, of which the Reporting Person is trustee. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.

/s/ John W. Smither, as Attorney-in-Fact for Bhaskar 02/24/2021 Chaudhuri

\*\* 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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