FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person*     SCHAEFFER LEONARD D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Walgreens Boots Alliance, Inc. [ WBA ]									ationship of k all applicat Director		Perso	n(s) to Issue		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WALGREENS BOOTS ALLIANCE, INC. 108 WILMOT ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2018								Officer (g below)	jive title		Other (s below)	pecify		
(Street) DEERFI (City)		State)	60015 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indi Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Т	able I - Non-	Deriva	tive S	ecuritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	of, or E	Bene	ficially	Owned					
Date				. Transact ate Month/Day	Execu Day/Year) if any		2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		rities Acquired (A) or rd Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			5. Amount Securities Beneficially Owned Fol Reported	Form: (D) or		Direct Indirect tr. 4)	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)	
								Code V		Amount	nt (A) or (D)		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.		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 Amou Securities Underl Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		derlying curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securitie Beneficie Owned Followin Reported	e es ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	N	mount or umber of nares		Transaction(s (Instr. 4)				
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	11/01/2018		A		2,503.129		(2)		(2)	Commo Stock	n 2,	503.129	\$79.9	8,954	(3)	D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The phantom stock is issued as non-employee director compensation under the amended and restated Walgreens Boots Alliance, Inc. 2013 Omnibus Incentive Plan (including the applicable election forms thereunder, the "Plan"), and each unit of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of the company's common stock.
- 2. To be settled following termination of service as a director in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Plan.
- 3. Includes phantom stock units issued in lieu of dividends (through September 30, 2018) on outstanding phantom stock units.

### Remarks:

/s/ Kelsey Chin, Attorney-in-

11/02/2018

**Fact** 

\*\* 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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