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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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I. Nume and Address of Reporting reison			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANI PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ANIP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Brown Robel	<u>t E. JR</u>			X	Director	10% Owner			
	(First) MACEUTICALS	(Middle) , INC.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/28/2019		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
210 MAIN STREET WEST			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	ay/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Ap Line)					
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Repo	orting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

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 Disposed Of 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 (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	03/28/2019		Α		2,584	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	20,352	D	

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. Transa Code (8)		of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D)	Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			e and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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				
Stock Options ⁽¹⁾	\$66.39	03/28/2019		A		3,127		(1)	03/27/2029	Common Stock	3,127	\$0	3,127	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The restricted stock and stock options vest on March 28, 2020.

/s/ Robert E. Brown, Jr.

04/01/2019 ** 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).

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