FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549	

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CAREY STEPHEN P.</u>				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ANI PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ ANIP ]							Check	all app			10% O	wner			
(Last)	`	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/28/2023						X	Officer (give title below) SVP A		Other ( below) ND CFO		specify		
C/O ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 210 MAIN STREET WEST					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(Street)	ТТЕ М	N 5	6623											X		filed by Mo		oorting Pers in One Rep	- 1
(City)	(S	tate) (Z	Zip)		Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.								nded to						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day			Execusy/Year) if any		Deemed cution Date, ny nth/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ies Acquired (A Of (D) (Instr. 3,			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price			nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 03/28/2				023 F <sup>(1)</sup> 1,420 D \$			\$38	8.62 137,486 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)	if any	emed ion Date, /Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secul Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instrand 5	rities ired sed . 3, 4	6. Date Expirati (Month/	ion Da Day/Y		3 and	nt of ties lying tive ty (Instr.	Deri Sec	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares withheld for tax purposes exempt under Rule 16(b)-3 in connection with the vesting of 3,113 shares of restricted stock, the grant of which was previously reported.

/s/ Stephen P. Carey

03/30/2023

\*\* 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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