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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Bergmann Anthony				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CAPRICOR THERAPEUTICS, INC.</u> [CAPR]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	(First	`	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/05/2020						X	Officer (g below)		Other (specify below)		pecify	
C/O CAPRICOR THERAPEUTICS, INC. 8840 WILSHIRE BLVD., 2ND FLOOR				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) BEVERLY HILLS CA 90211 (City) (State) (Zip)												X	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		7	able I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Securitie	s Acq	juired, D	ispo	osed o	f, or Bene	icially O	vned				
Date				2. Trans Date (Month/I		Execution if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		urities Acquired (A) or sed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		sind 5) Securities Beneficially Following I		Form	wnership m: Direct (D) ndirect (I) tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transactio (Instr. 3 an				(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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	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 A Securities Ur Derivative Se 3 and 4)	derlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti	e s lly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Cod	e V	(A)		Date Exercisable		piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(a)		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$1.39	06/05/2020		A		120,003		(1)	06/	/05/2030	Common Stock	120,003	\$0	120,00)3	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares vest 1/48th of the first day of each month, commencing March 1, 2020, until the stock option becomes fully vested and exercisable. The following stock option grant was approved by the Board on February 12, 2020 under the 2020 Plan, contingent upon stockholder approval of the 2020 Plan, which was obtained on June 5, 2020. The option is subject to early exercise and, therefore, all or any part of the option can be exercised at any time. If the reporting person elects to take advantage of the early exercise feature and purchase shares prior to the vesting of such shares, the shares will be deemed restricted stock and will be subject to a repurchase option in favor of the Issuer if the reporting person's service to the Issuer terminates prior to vesting.

/s/ Linda Marban, as Attorney-in-Fact 06/09/2020

** 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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