## 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 <sup>*</sup> SHAH MAHENDRA						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Capnia, Inc. [ CAPN ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last)		,	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/08/2017										er (give title		Other ( below)	
C/O VIVO CAPITAL LLC 505 HAMILTON AVENUE, SUITE 207					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(;	State) (	(Zip)			_													
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
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	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. Conversior or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Execution if any	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		tion istr.	ion of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		tr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
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Employee stock option (right to buy)	\$0.72	05/08/2017			А		45,139		(1)	05/	/08/2027	Commo Stock		5,139	\$0.00	45,139		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. One hundred percent (100%) of the shares subject to the Option shall vest on the one year anniversary on the Vesting Commencement Date (which is May 8, 2017) or the date of the 2018 Annual Shareholder Meeting, whichever is earlier.

**Remarks:** 

/s/ David O'Toole, Attorney-	05/08/2017
In-Fact	05/08/2017
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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