FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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# Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person' (Check all applicable) MEI Pharma, Inc. [ MEIP ] White Christine Anna X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 07/06/2017 C/O MEI PHARMA, INC. 3611 VALLEY CENTRE DRIVE, SUITE 500 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) Form filed by One Reporting Person **SAN DIEGO** 92130 CA Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, Securities Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial if any Code (Instr. (D) or Indirect Ownership Owned Following (Month/Day/Year) 8) (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code Amount Price (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 3. Transaction 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 9. Number of 11. Nature 3A. Deemed Execution Date. 5. Number 8. Price of Conversion Securities Underlying Transaction Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Derivative derivative Ownership of Indirect Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Derivative Security Beneficial Code (Instr. Form: Direct (D) (Instr. 3) Price of 8) Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 5) Beneficially Ownership Derivative Acquired or Indirect (Instr. 4) Following Reported Security (A) or Disposed (I) (Instr. 4) of (D) (Instr 3, 4 and 5) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) Amount Number Expiration Exercisable

### **Explanation of Responses:**

\$2.83

1. The options will vest in equal monthly installments over twelve months.

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2. The total number of derivative securities reported in Column 9 includes previously awarded options, which were subject to the effect of a 1 for 6 reverse stock split, which was effective on December 18, 2012.

(1)

### Remarks:

Option to

purchase

shares of

stock

/s/ Brian G. Drazba, as attorney- 07/06/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Shares

40,000

\$0.00

122,730(2)

D

Title

07/06/2027

Common

Stock par value

\$0.00000002

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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(A)

40,000

(D)

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Brian G. Drazba and David M. Urso, or either of them signing individually, and with full power of substitution, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of reports required by Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") or any rule or regulation of the SEC;
- (2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of MEI Pharma, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act and the rules thereunder;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the SEC and if required, any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange Act and the rules thereunder.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 14th day of April, 2017.

/s/ Christine A. White Christine A. White