FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Yang Allen   |   |            |            |                                      |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Xencor Inc [ XNCR ] |  |  |                   |  |                    |  |   | (Che  | ck all applic<br>Directo                              | cable)   | g Person(s) to Iss<br>10% O<br>Other (s |   | wner     |  |
|--|---|------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|-------------------|--|--------------------|--|---|---|---|--|---|---|----------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O XENCOR, INC.   |   |            |            |                                      | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2021 |  |  |  |                   |  |                    |  | - X   | below)  |   | SIDE   | below)                                  |   |          |  |
| 111 W. LEMON AVE   |   |            |            |                                      |   | If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                  |  |  |                   |  |                    |  |   | 6 In  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable |  |   |   |          |  |
| (Street)  MONRO  | VIA C   | A          | 91016      |                                      |   | T. II Americanical, Date of Original Filed (Monturbay) Teal)           |  |  |                   |  |                    |  | Line)   |   |   |  |   | n |          |  |
| (City)   | (S  | itate)     | (Zip)      |                                      |   |  |  |  |                   |  |                    |  |   |   |   |  |   |   |          |  |
|  |   | Tab        | le I - Non | -Deriv                               | ativ  | e Se   | curities   | s Ac   | quired,           | Dis  | posed o            | f, or Be                                     | enef  | icially   | / Owned   |  |   |   |          |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)  |   |            |            |                                      | Execution Date,   |  | Code (   | Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, Code (Instr. 5) |                   |  |                    | 5. Amou<br>Securitie<br>Beneficia<br>Owned F | es Fo<br>ially (D<br>Following (I)                  |   | : Direct<br>r Indirect<br>str. 4)                     | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)        |   |   |          |  |
|  |   |            |            |                                      |   |  |  |  |                   | v  | Amount             | (A) (D)                                      | or  | Price   | Transact<br>(Instr. 3 a                               | ion(s)   |   |   | (1130.4) |  |
| Common Stock 03/08/  |   |            |            | /2021                                |   | A  |  | 9,263 <sup>(1)</sup> A                                 |                   |  | \$0                | 37,658                                       |   |   | D   |  |   |   |          |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |   |            |            |                                      |   |  |  |  |                   |  |                    |  |   |   |   |  |   |   |          |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | perivative Conversion Date Execution Date, if any |            |            | ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative |   | ive<br>ies<br>ed<br>ed<br>nstr.  | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  |                   | 7. Title and Amoun<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                    |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s<br>(Instr. 4) |   | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)   |   |          |  |
|  |   |            |            |                                      | Code  | v  | (A)  | (D)  | Date<br>Exercisal |  | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | or<br>Nu<br>of                                      | nount<br>mber<br>ares   |   |  |   |   |          |  |
| Stock<br>Options   | \$43  | 03/08/2021 |            |                                      | A   |  | 55,576   |  | (2)               | 0  | 3/08/2031          | Common<br>Stock                              | 55  | 5,576   | \$0   | 55,570   | 6                                       | D |          |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents restricted stock units that vest as follows: 1/3 of the shares vest on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.
- 2. 25% of the shares subject to the option shall vest on the one year anniversary of March 8, 2021 (the "Vesting Commencement Date") and 1/48th of the shares shall vest monthly thereafter, such that the option shall be fully vested on the four year anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date.

/s/ Celia E. Eckert, Attorney-in-03/10/2021 Fact

\*\* 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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