### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

2A. Deemed

**Execution Date.** 

OMB APPROVAL									
OMB Number:	3235-02								

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect

7. Nature

of Indirect

Beneficial

OMB Number: 3235-0287
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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 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORGANOVO HOLDINGS, INC. ONVO Murphy Keith Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify X 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 02/16/2017 Chairman, CEO and President 6275 NANCY RIDGE DRIVE, SUITE 110 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) (Street) **SAN DIEGO** CA 92121 X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

	(Month/Day/Year)	8)					Owned Following Reported	(I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111511.4)	
02/16/2017		F		5,742(1)	D	\$2.95	6,038,173 <sup>(2)</sup>	D		
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4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5. Amount of

Securities

Beneficially

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Transaction

Code (Instr. 5)

(e.g., puts, cans, 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/Year)	Transaction of Code (Instr. De Se Ac (A) Dis of (In the Code (Instr. De Code (		of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	of Expiration Date Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

### Explanation of Responses:

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Common Stock

- 1. Represents the mandatory sale of shares to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligations, in connection with the partial vesting and settlement of restricted stock units granted in July 2016, pursuant to the Reporting Person's agreement with the Issuer.
- 2. This number does not include 1,831,454 shares of common stock underlying outstanding options held by Mr. Murphy; post-transaction Mr. Murphy continues to beneficially own or have a right to acquire 7,869,627 shares of common stock.

### Remarks:

<u>/s/ Keith Murphy</u> 02/21/2017

\*\* 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).

2. Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

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