Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     COHEN CHARLES J.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Xenon Pharmaceuticals Inc. [ XENE ]							Relationship of eck all applications  Directors  Officer	able)	g Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (si	ner
(Last) C/O XEN	`	rst) MACEUTICAI	(Middle) LS INC		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/13/2017							X Officer below)			below)	
200 - 3650 GILMORE WAY			4.	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
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(City)	(Si	ate)	(Zip)									Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date			ansactior hth/Day/Y	Execution Date,		3. Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) (S) (S) (S) (S) (S) (S) (S) (S) (S) (S			ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and	Beneficia Owned F	es For ally (D) Following (I)		Direct of Indirect Estr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code V			Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			nstr. 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/Year	e, Transaction of Code (Instr. Deriva ar) 8) Securi Acquii (A) or Dispo: of (D)		Derivative Securities Acquired (Month/Day/Year)		ite	7. Title and Amoun 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					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$8.4	03/13/2017		A		20,000		(1)	03/12/2027	Common Shares	20,000	\$0.00	20,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Vesting 25% on January 1, 2018, and 75% vesting thereafter over the course of the next 3 years, in equal amounts, on the last day of each month.

/s/ Joanne Smartt, Attorney-infact

03/14/2017

\*\* 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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