FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANG	SES IN B	ENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* EMPFIELD JAMES R. (Last) (First) (Middle) 200 - 3650 GILMORE WAY				3. E	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Xenon Pharmaceuticals Inc. [XENE] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/2023 If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) EVP, Drug Discovery Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					vner specify	
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												1 013011				
	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)																			
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Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$34.18	03/10/2023			A		75,000		(1)	0	3/09/2033	Common Shares	75,00	0	\$0.00	75,000	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

 $1.\ Vesting\ 25\%\ on\ January\ 1,\ 2024\ and\ 75\%\ vesting\ thereafter\ over\ the\ course\ of\ the\ next\ 3\ years,\ in\ equal\ amounts,\ on\ the\ last\ day\ of\ each\ month.$

Remarks:

/s/ Cassandra Robinson

03/14/2023

** 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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