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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Degnan Chris						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Verrica Pharmaceuticals Inc. [VRCA]										all app	ship of Reporting applicable) rector		erson(s) to 1	
(Last)	(Fir	st) (N	/liddle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/19/2018									X	Office below	icer (give title ow)		Other (specify below)	
C/O VEF												Chief Financial Office								
10 NORTH HIGH STREET, SUITE 200						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica Line)					Applicable
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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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Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ Mark Ballantyne, Attorneyin-Fact <u>08/15/2018</u>

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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^{**} Signature of Reporting Person Date

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