FORM 4

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

Washington, I	D.C. 20549
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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Smith Scott Andrew					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BioAtla, Inc. [ BCAB ]									(Che	elationship eck all app CDirec	,		on(s) to Is	
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (ľ	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year 12/31/2023										Office below	er (give title v)		Other (s below)	specify
C/O BIOATLA, INC. 11085 TORREYANA ROAD				4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)	(St	ate) (Z	Zip)		Rul	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication								,					
				Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.										nded to					
		Table	I - Non-	-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or E	3ene	eficial	ly Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da				Execut		cution y	Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Disposed	urities Acquired (A sed Of (D) (Instr. 3		(A) or 3, 4 and	Securit Benefic Owned	Securities Beneficially		Direct Indirect tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Pr		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/31/				12/31/2	2023			F <sup>(1)</sup>		1,791	I	)	\$2.46	29	298,998		D		
	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)  4. Transact Code (In					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4)		s (I	s. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y Di	D. wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect ) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code V		(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	or	ount nber res					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This transaction is not a sale of shares by the Reporting Person. Instead, this represents shares that have been withheld by the Issuer to satisfy its income tax and withholding and remittance obligations in connection with the vesting and net settlement of previously reported restricted stock units.

## Remarks:

/s/ Christian Vasquez, as

01/03/2024 Attorney-in-Fact for Scott A.

**Smith** 

\*\* 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).

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