Anika Therapeutics, Inc. Form 4 February 08, 2016

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hague Richard			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Anika Therapeutics, Inc. [ANIK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chook an approacts)
32 WIGGINS	S AVENUE		(Month/Day/Year) 02/04/2016	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Commercial Officer
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
BEDFORD, MA 01730				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ties		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		TransactionAcquired (A) or			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	any		Code	Disposed of (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	02/04/2016		A	7,900	A	\$0	28,900	D	

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	TransactionDerivative Code Securities		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 38.11	02/04/2016		A	18,300	<u>(2)</u>	02/04/2026	Common Stock	18,300	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	orting Owner Name / Address			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

Hague Richard

32 WIGGINS AVENUE Chief Commercial Officer

BEDFORD, MA 01730

# **Signatures**

/s/ Richard 02/08/2016 Hague

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Restricted stock awards vest in four equal annual installments beginning February 4, 2017.
- (2) The stock options vest in four equal annual installments beginning February 4, 2017.

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