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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Luthringer Remy		son*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Minerva Neurosciences, Inc. [NERV]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
					Director	10% Owner			
				x	Officer (give title	Other (specify			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		below)	below)			
C/O MINERVA NEUROSCIENCES, INC.			02/03/2017		President & C	EO			
1601 TRAPELO ROAD, SUITE 284		284							
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	idual or Joint/Group Filing	(Check Applicable			
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### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/03/2017		М		32,096	A	\$4.71	32,096	D			
Common Stock	02/03/2017		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		32,096	D	\$11.02(2)	0	D			
Common Stock	02/06/2017		М		2,185	A	\$4.71	2,185	D			
Common Stock	02/06/2017		<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		2,185	D	\$11	0	D			
Common Stock								926,604	I	By Wint2felden Holding SA		

## 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. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) ( Disp of (I	umber vative urities uired or oosed D) (Instr. and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount 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)	\$4.71	02/03/2017		М			32,096	(3)	12/03/2025	Common Stock	32,096	\$0.00	287,904	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$4.71	02/06/2017		М			2,185	(3)	12/03/2025	Common Stock	2,185	\$0.00	285,719	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These sales were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on December 15, 2016.

2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.00 - \$11.10, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in footnote (2) to this Form 4.

3. This option shall vest as follows: 25% vested on December 4, 2016 and the remainder vests in quarterly installments over 3 years thereafter.

**Remarks:** 

/s/ Mark Levine, Attorney-in-02/07/2017 Fact

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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