## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Samsara BioCapital, L.P.			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Graphite Bio, Inc.</u> [ GRPH ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner			
(Last)	, , , , , , ,		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2022	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
628 MIDDLEFIELD ROAD (Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</li> <li>Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li>X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</li> </ul>			
PALO ALTO (City)	CA (State)	94301 (Zip)					

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	rity (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/19/2022		Р		54,565	Α	<b>\$9.24</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	7,868,745	Ι	By Fund <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	01/20/2022		Р		43,105	Α	<b>\$8.92</b> <sup>(3)</sup>	7,911,850	Ι	By Fund <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock								37,753	Ι	By Fund <sup>(4)</sup>

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	 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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	Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*

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1. Name and Address <u>AKKARAJU</u>	of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> SRINIVAS		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	
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(Street)			
PALO ALTO	CA	94301	
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.64 to \$9.50 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 purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote. 2. Shares are held by Samsara BioCapital, L.P. ("Samsara LP"). Samsara BioCapital (P, LLC ("Samsara LLC") is the general partner of Samsara LP and may be deemed to beneficially own the shares held by Samsara LP. Dr. Srinivas Akkaraju, MD, Ph.D. has voting and investment power over the shares held by Samsara LP and, accordingly, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares held by Samsara LLC and Dr. Akkaraju disclaims beneficial ownership in these shares except to the extent of his or its respective pecuniary interest therein.

3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.83 to \$8.95 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 purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
4. Shares are held by 436, L.P. ("436 LP"). 436, LLC ("436 LLC") is the general partner of 436 LP and may be deemed to beneficially own the shares held by 436 LP. Dr. Srinivas Akkaraju, MD, Ph.D. has voting and investment power over the shares held by 436 LP and, accordingly, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares held by 436 LP. Dr. Akkaraju disclaims beneficial ownership in these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Samsara BioCapital, L.P., By: Samsara BioCapital GP, LLC, its 01/21/2022 General Partner, By /s/ Srinivas Akkaraju, Managing Member 01/21/2022 /s/ Srinivas Akkaraju \*\* 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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