FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C.	20549
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Murphy Peter C.				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol TELA Bio, Inc. [ TELA ]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner							
													Officer	(give title	Ot	ner (sp	
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)						7	below)	y) below) nief Commercial Officer			
C/O TELA BIO, INC					02/24/2021						Chief Commercial Officer						
1 GREAT VALLEY PARKWAY, SUITE 24										-							
(0)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street)  MALVE	RN PA	Δ	19355									:	X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
			15555										Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
		Tab	le I - Nor	ı-Deriv	ative Se	curities Ac	quired	, Dis	osed o	of, o	r Bene	ficiall	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans: Date (Month/L			Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (AD Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 5)			(A) or 3, 4 and	5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F	es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	t o ct B	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock			02/24	1/2021		A		11,200	<b>)</b> (1)	A	\$0	11,	200	D		
		-				urities Acq	,		,			•	Owned				
			-	(e.g., p	uts, call	s, warrants	, optio	ns, c	onvertil	ble	securi	ties)					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion Date Execution Date, Tra		ransaction Code (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  T. Title and Ar of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)			ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported	Owne Form: Direct or Ind	(D) irect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\$16.99

1. These restricted stock units will vest in four equal annual installments beginning on February 24, 2022, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service with the Issuer.

(A)

20,400

of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

2. The option vests 25% on February 24, 2022, with the remaining 75% vesting in equal monthly installments on the last day of each of the 36 calendar months immediately following such date, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service with the Issuer.

Date

Exercisable

(D)

Expiration

02/24/2031

Title

Stock

## Remarks:

Stock Option

(right to buy)

/s/ Nora Brennan, attorney-infact

Amount or Number

Shares

20,400

\$<mark>0</mark>

02/26/2021

Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

20,400

D

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

 $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

02/24/2021

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