

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b> <u>Quaker BioVentures II LP</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) 150 MONUMENT ROAD, SUITE 207 <hr/> (Street) BALA PA 19004 CYNWYD <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)</b> 11/07/2019	<b>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b> <u>TELA Bio, Inc. [ TELA ]</u> <hr/> <b>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)</b> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	<b>5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</b> <hr/> <b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	29,288	D <sup>(1)</sup>	

### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Series A Preferred Stock	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	345,489	(3)	D <sup>(1)</sup>
Series B Preferred Stock	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	516,947	(4)	D <sup>(1)</sup>
Warrant	01/18/2017	01/18/2027	Series B Preferred Stock	446,813	1.16	D <sup>(1)</sup>

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<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b> <u>Quaker BioVentures Capital II, L.P.</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) 150 MONUMENT ROAD, SUITE 207 <hr/> (Street) BALA CYNWYD PA 19004 <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. These securities are owned of record by Quaker BioVentures II, L.P. ("Quaker"). Quaker BioVentures Capital II, L.P. ("Quaker Capital") is the general partner of Quaker, has voting and dispositive power over the securities held by Quaker, and thus may be deemed to beneficially own these securities. Voting and investment determinations made by Quaker Capital with respect to the securities held by Quaker are made by an investment committee of Quaker Partners. Quaker Capital disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
2. Shares of Series A and Series B Preferred Stock (collectively, the "Preferred Stock") have no expiration date and are convertible, at the option of the holder, into shares of Common Stock at the then-effective conversion rate for no additional consideration (subject to the payment of cash in lieu of any fractional shares in accordance with the Issuer's Third Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation (as amended, the "Certificate of Incorporation")). The shares of Preferred Stock will automatically convert into shares of Common Stock at the then-effective conversion rate for no additional consideration (subject to the payment in cash in lieu of any fractional shares in accordance with the Certificate of Incorporation) immediately prior to the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering.
3. Shares of Series A Preferred Stock are convertible into shares of Common Stock at a 1-for-1 conversion rate.
4. Shares of Series B Preferred Stock are convertible into shares of Common Stock at a 1-for-1 conversion rate.

**Remarks:**

[Quaker BioVentures II, L.P.](#)  
[By: Quaker Bioventures](#)  
[Capital II, L.P., its general](#)  
[partner By Quaker BioVentures 11/07/2019](#)  
[Capital II, LLC, its general](#)  
[partner By: /s/ Adele C. Oliva,](#)  
[Executive Manager](#)  
[Quaker Bioventures Capital II,](#)  
[L.P., its general partner By:](#)  
[Quaker BioVentures Capital II,](#)  
[LLC, its general partner By: /s/ 11/07/2019](#)  
[Adele C. Oliva, Executive](#)  
[Manager](#)

\*\* 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 5 (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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