## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CLARKE JOHN K</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Verastem, Inc. [ VSTM ]										olicable)	g Person(s) to	Suer Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERASTEM, INC.,						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/17/2013									Offic belov	er (give title w)	Oth belo	er (specify w)
215 FIRST STREET, SUITE 440  (Street)  CAMBRIDGE MA 02142						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(S	tate) (	Zip)												Pers	son		
		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	Benefic	ially	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 1)					and 5) Securitie Benefici Owned F		ties Fo cially (D I Following (I)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect t Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o	(A) or (D) Price			ted action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 04/17/20					2013		P		5,631	A	A \$9.499 <sup>(</sup>		2,245,950		I	By CHP III, L.P.		
	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	rerision controlled (Month/Day/Year) Date (Month/Day/Year) Fixed Properties (Month/Day/Year) Date (Month/Day/Year) Fixed Properties (Month/Day/Year) Security (Month/Day/Year) Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Security (A Dio Of (Instr. 2012))		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	ative rities ired osed	or				Amount or Number	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents a weighted-average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$9.37 to \$9.50, inclusive. For all transactions reported in this Form 4 utilizing a weighted-average price, the reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares purchased at each price within the
- 2. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

/s/ Paul Brannelly, attorney-in-

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

04/19/2013 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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