Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP
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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Phanstiel S. Louise				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Verastem, Inc. [VSTM]						(Ch	Relationship leck all appli X Directo	cable) or	g Pers	10% Ov	ner		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
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Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$9.68	09/18/2012		A		25,000		(1)	0	9/18/2022	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	25,000)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. This option will vest in twelve equal monthly installments from September 18, 2012 until September 18, 2013.

/s/ Paul Brannelly, attorney-infact

09/20/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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