FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)																
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- LYONS GARY A					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RIGEL PHARMACEUTICALS INC [RIGL]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
C/O RIC VETER	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2022)		Officer (giv	ve title below)	Oth	er (specify belo	ow)				
(Street) SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080					4. If Amendment, Date 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 Person					
	(City) (State) (Zip)					Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
(Instr. 3) Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			Date, if				4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		ed	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year) Code V A			Amount	(A) or (D)	Price					Ownership (Instr. 4)						
Commoi	Common Stock 05/20/2022						A			5,000	A	\$ 0 5	50,000			D		
			Table II -	Derivati	ive S	ecuritio	es Acq	di	splay	s a curre	ently v	alid ON	to respond MB control i Owned					
	1	1		(e.g., pu				, optio	ns, co	nvertible	securi	ties)			1			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction of Code Se (Instr. 8) Ac or of (In		of Deri Securit Acquir or Disp of (D)	ecurities acquired (A) r Disposed f (D) Instr. 3, 4,		ration 1	xercisable and n Date ay/Year)		7. Title a of Under Securitie (Instr. 3	es	Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(Ownersl Form of Derivati Security Direct (I or Indirects)	Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expirati Date	ion	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4	,	
Stock Option	\$ 2.01	05/20/2022		A		30,00	0		(2)	05/20/	2032	Comm	non 30,000	\$ 0	30,000	D		

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LYONS GARY A C/O RIGEL PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 1180 VETERANS BLVD. SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080	X						

Signatures

/s/ Dolly Vance (Attorney-in-Fact)	05/23/2022
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).
- (1) The shares of Common Stock are to be acquired upon the vesting of a Restricted Stock Unit award granted to the Reporting Person. The Restricted Stock Units shall fully vest on the date prior to the Company's next Annual Meeting, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service on the Company's Board of Directors.
- (2) The shares vest monthly over one (1) year from the date of grant subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service on the Company's Board of Directors.

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