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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>KANTOFF AARON</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O TOURMALINE BIO, INC.</u> <u>27 WEST 24TH STREET, SUITE 702</u> <hr/> (Street) <u>NEW YORK NY 10010</u> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Tourmaline Bio, Inc. [ TRML ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>10/19/2023</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication <input type="checkbox"/> Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	10/19/2023		A		37,891 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	<sup>(2)</sup>	37,891	D	

**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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$0.13 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/19/2023		A		37,890 <sup>(3)</sup>		<sup>(4)</sup>	02/02/2033	Common Stock	37,890 <sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(5)</sup>	37,890	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$9.46	10/23/2023		A		10,000		<sup>(6)</sup>	10/22/2033	Common Stock	10,000	\$0.00	10,000	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- 2,015 of these shares are subject to a repurchase option in favor of the Issuer in the event that the Reporting Person's continuous service is terminated. Such repurchase option shall lapse in equal monthly installments until such shares are fully vested on June 1, 2026.
- Received in exchange for 475,000 shares of common stock of Tourmaline Bio, Inc. ("Tourmaline") pursuant to an Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of June 22, 2023 (the "Merger Agreement") by and among Tourmaline, the Issuer and Terrain Merger Sub, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Issuer ("Merger Sub"). Under the terms of the Merger Agreement, on October 19, 2023, Merger Sub merged with and into Tourmaline (the "Merger"), with Tourmaline surviving the Merger as a wholly owned subsidiary of the Issuer. Upon the closing of the Merger, each share of Tourmaline common stock was converted into the right to receive 0.07977 of a share of the Issuer's common stock, after giving effect to a reverse stock split of the Issuer's common stock of 10-for-1. Subsequent to the Merger, the name of the Issuer was changed from Talaris Therapeutics, Inc. to Tourmaline Bio, Inc.
- Upon the closing of the Merger, each outstanding option to purchase shares of Tourmaline common stock was assumed by the Issuer and converted into an option to purchase the Issuer's common stock, on the same terms and conditions as were applicable to such Tourmaline stock option prior to the Merger, as adjusted for the exchange ratio and the reverse stock split.
- The shares subject to the option vest as to 1/3 of the shares on May 6, 2023 with the remainder vesting in the following 24 equal monthly installments, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service on each such vesting date.
- Received in exchange for a stock option to acquire 475,000 shares of Tourmaline common stock pursuant to the Merger Agreement.
- 100% of the shares subject to the option vest on the earlier of October 23, 2024 or the date of the Issuer's 2024 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service on such vesting date.

**Remarks:**

/s/ Brad Middlekauff, Attorney-in-Fact 10/23/2023

\*\* 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 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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