FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Karydas Daphne	Requiring (Month/Da	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/13/2020  3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Syndax Pharmaceuticals Inc [SNDX]							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 35 GATEHOUSE DRIVE			4. Relationship of Reportin Issuer (Check all applicable)	.,		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
BUILDING D, FLOOR 3	_		Director  X Officer (give title below)  Chief Financia	10% O Other ( below)	specify 6. I	(Che	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting		
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451	_			ll Officer			Person	by More than One Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)									
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned									
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	Form: D (D) or In			Nature of Indirect Beneficial wnership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)									
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of		5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	05/12/2030	Common Stock	215,000	18.95		D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total number of shares underlying the option shall vest on May 12, 2021, and one forty-eighth (1/48th) of the total number of shares underlying the option shall vest monthly thereafter on the last day of each month, subject to the reporting person's continuous service on the relevant vesting dates.

#### Remarks:

/s/ Michael A. Metzger, Attorney-in-Fact

07/13/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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