FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Common Stock Warrant (Right to	\$2	12/13/2023			P <sup>(1)</sup>		6,578		12/13/20:	23	12/13/2028	Common Stock	6,578	(1)	6,57	8	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. These securities were purchased by the reporting person in the registered direct offering of CytoSorbents Corporation (the "Company"), which closed on December 13, 2023. In the offering, each share of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Common Stock") of the Company was purchased together with an accompanying warrant to purchase up to 0.35 shares of Common Stock, at a combined offering price of \$1.33 per share of Common Stock and accompanying warrant.
- 2. Includes (i) the following restricted stock units ("RSUs") (which vest as to two-thirds of the award on the first anniversary of the date of grant and one-third of the award on the second anniversary of the date of grant, subject to the reporting person's continued service as of the applicable vesting date) and will settle into shares of Common Stock upon vesting: 73,000 RSUs granted on July 7, 2023 and unvested as of the date hereof;
- 3. (continued from footnote 2) (ii) the following RSUs that will be settled into Common Stock upon vesting upon a "Change In Control" of the Company as defined in the Amended and Restated CytoSorbents Corporation 2014 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan"): (a) 10,100 RSUs granted on March 15, 2018, (b) 17,900 RSUs granted on February 24, 2017, (c) 54,000 RSUs granted on June 7, 2016 and (d) 125,000 RSUs granted on April 8, 2015;
- 4. (continued from footnote 3) (iii) the following RSUs (which vest as to one-third of the award on each of the date of grant, the first anniversary of the date of grant, and the second anniversary of the date of grant, subject to the reporting person's continued service as of the applicable vesting date) and will settle into Common Stock upon vesting: 23,000 RSUs granted on August 10, 2022 and unvested as of the date
- 5. (continued from footnote 4) (iv) 281,134 shares of Common Stock owned by the reporting person.

/s/ Kathleen P. Bloch attorneyin-fact for Vincent Capponi

12/15/2023

\*\* 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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