FORM 4

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Instruction 1(b)

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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				or Sec	ction 30(h) of the In	vestmer	nt Con	npany Act of 1	940					
Name and Address of Reporting Person* Mottiwala Aziz			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Tarsus Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [TARS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
(Last) C/O TARSUS	(First) PHARMACEU	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2024				X	Officer (give title below) Other below Chief Commercial Officer		,			
15440 LAGUNA CANYON ROAD, SUITE 160			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				6. Indiv Line)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street)										X	Form filed by One	Reporting Pers	on	
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication					to a centrac					
				Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See In:										
		Table I - No	n-Deriva	tive S	ecurities Acqu	uired,	Disp	oosed of, o	r Ben	eficially	Owned			
Date		2. Transac Date (Month/Da		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111041. 4)	

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) 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Execution Date 11. Nature 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. Price of 9. Number of 10. 2. Conversion Transaction Code (Instr. Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Derivative derivative Ownership of Indirect Beneficial or Exercise Price of Security (Instr. 5) (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Securities Direct (D) (Month/Day/Year) Underlying 8) Beneficially Ownership Securities Derivative Acquired **Derivative Security** Owned or Indirect (Instr. 4) (A) or Disposed (Instr. 3 and 4) Security Following (I) (Instr. 4) Reported of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) Amount or Number Date Expiration (D) Code ν (A) Title Restricted 03/15/2024 (5) (5) 4,790 9,580 \$0 D Stock М 4 790 Stock Units Restricted 03/15/2024 (6) 8,148 24,444 M 8.148 \$0 D Stock Stock Units

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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The shares were issued pursuant to settlement of vested Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs").
- 2. Includes 97 shares acquired under the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan on December 31, 2023.
- 3. The sale reported on this Form 4 represents shares sold by the Reporting Person to cover tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting and settlement of RSUs. The sale is mandated by the Issuer's election to require the satisfaction of tax withholding obligations to be funded by a "sell to cover" transaction and does not represent a discretionary transaction by the Reporting Person.
- 4. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- 5. RSUs granted on March 9, 2022, under the Tarsus Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 2020 Stock Plan. 25% of the RSUs will vest on March 15th of each of 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026, subject to the Reporting Person's
- 6. RSUs granted on March 8, 2023, under the Tarsus Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 2020 Stock Plan. 25% of the RSUs will vest on March 15th of each of 2024, 2025, 2026 and 2027, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service

Remarks:

/s/ Jeffrey Farrow, Attorney-in-03/19/2024 **Fact**

** 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).

03/15/2024

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