### MIRAGEN THERAPEUTICS, INC.

Form 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person \*

Leverone Jason A.

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

02/13/2017

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MIRAGEN THERAPEUTICS, INC. [MGEN]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O MIRAGEN THERAPEUTICS, INC., Â 6200

LOOKOUT ROAD

(Street)

Director

\_X\_\_ Officer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (give title below) (specify below) CFO, Treasurer & Secretary 6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

BOULDER. COÂ 80301

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

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

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4.

Derivative

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** 

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security

Amount or

5. Conversion or Exercise

Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

(Instr. 4) Price of

Title

Number of

Security: Direct (D)

Security

(Instr. 4)

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					Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stoo	ck Option (right to	(2)	12/09/2018	Common Stock	29,530	\$ 0.57	D	Â
Stoo	ck Option (right to	(3)	09/23/2019	Common Stock	3,093	\$ 0.57	D	Â
Stoo	ck Option (right to	(4)	03/15/2020	Common Stock	11,249	\$ 0.57	D	Â
Stoo	ck Option (right to	(5)	06/14/2022	Common Stock	46,615	\$ 1.22	D	Â
Stoo	ck Option (right to	(6)	02/21/2026	Common Stock	35,155	\$ 1.05	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Leverone Jason A.  C/O MIRAGEN THERAPEUTICS, INC. 6200 LOOKOUT ROAD BOULDER. CO 80301	Â	Â	CFO, Treasurer & Secretary	Â	

# **Signatures**

/s/ Brent D. Fassett, as Attorney-in-Fact for Jason A.
Leverone

02/13/2017

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- Shares of common stock of the corporation then known as Miragen Therapeutics, Inc. ("Old Miragen") were converted into shares of the Issuer pursuant to that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger and Reorganization, dated as of October 31, 2016, by and among the Issuer, Signal Merger Sub, Inc. and Old Miragen (the "Merger Agreement"). Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement, each share of common stock was converted into 0.7031 shares of the Issuer's common stock.
- On December 10, 2008, Reporting Person was granted an option to purchase 42,000 shares of the common stock of Old Miragen under
  Old Miragen's Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan") at an exercise price of \$0.40 per share. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, this option was converted into an option to purchase 29,530 shares of the Issuer's common stock at a per share exercise price of \$0.57. The option is fully vested and exercisable. The option expires ten years after the date of grant.
- On September 24, 2009, Reporting Person was granted an option to purchase 4,400 shares of the common stock of Old Miragen under the Plan at an exercise price of \$0.40 per share. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, this option was converted into an option to purchase 3,093 shares of the Issuer's common stock at a per share exercise price of \$0.57. The option is fully vested and exercisable. The option expires ten years after the date of grant.
- On March 16, 2010, Reporting Person was granted an option to purchase 16,000 shares of the common stock of Old Miragen under the Plan at an exercise price of \$0.40 per share. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, this option was converted into an option to purchase 11,249 shares of the Issuer's common stock at a per share exercise price of \$0.57. The option is fully vested and exercisable. The option expires ten years after the date of grant.

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- On June 15, 2012, Reporting Person was granted an option to purchase 66,300 shares of the common stock of Old Miragen under the Plan at an exercise price of \$0.86 per share. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, this option was converted into an option to purchase 46,615 shares of the Issuer's common stock at a per share exercise price of \$1.22. The option is fully vested and exercisable. The option expires ten years after the date of grant.
  - On February 22, 2016, Reporting Person was granted an option to purchase 50,000 shares of common stock of Old Miragen under the Plan at an exercise price of \$0.74 per share. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, this option was converted into an option to purchase 35,155 shares of the Issuer's common stock at a per share exercise price of \$1.05. The shares subject to the option vest in 48 equal
- (6) monthly installments beginning on March 22, 2016, provided that at the relevant vesting dates the Reporting Person's continuous service to the Issuer has not been terminated as defined in and as determined under the Plan. The shares underlying the option are subject to accelerated vesting upon the occurrence of specified events including a change of control of the Issuer and the Reporting Person's termination. The option expires ten years after the date of grant.

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### **Remarks:**

### Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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