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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SHANNON TIMOTHY M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Celldex Therapeutics, Inc. [CLDX]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last)	`	,	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Mor 12/23/2009						Day/Year)				Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify
		ERAPEUTICS,	INC.																
119 FOU	RTH AVE	NUE 			4. 11	f Ame	ndment,	Date c	f Original I	Filed	(Month/Da	ay/Year)		6. In		Joint/Group	Filing	g (Check Ap	plicable
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Non- qualified Stock	\$4.48	12/23/2009			A		8,000		12/23/2010) 12	2/23/2019	Common Stock	8,0	000	\$4.48	8,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. On December 23, 2009, the Company awarded 2,000 shares of Company common stock as an annual equity grant (in the form of restricted stock awards under the Plan, subject to time-based forfeiture restrictions.)

<u>Timothy M. Shannon</u> <u>12/24/2009</u>

** 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).
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