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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Sanfilippo Jennifer A</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O MELINTA THERAPEUTICS, INC.</u> <u>44 WHIPPANY ROAD</u> <hr/> (Street) <u>MORRISTOWN NJ 07960</u> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>09/05/2019</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>MELINTA THERAPEUTICS, INC. /NEW/ [ MLNT ]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>interim Chief Executive Office</u>	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Melinta Common Stock	600	D	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Melinta Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	04/19/2028	Melinta Common Stock	5,600	37.25	D
Melinta Restricted Stock Units	(2)	(2)	Melinta Common Stock	120,000	(2)	D

**Explanation of Responses:**

- One quarter of the shares vested on April 20, 2019, and the rest vest in essentially equal monthly amounts during the 36 month period beginning April 21, 2019.
- The restricted stock units will vest in equal semi-annual installments over the two year period following May 16, 2019, subject to continued service with the Issuer through the applicable vesting date.

**Remarks:**

Russell E Causey 09/13/2019

\*\* 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 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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Susan Blum and Russell Causey, and each of them acting alone, signing singly, as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to: amendments thereto) and to file timely such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with t

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5, and Update Passphrase Acknowledgement with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transa

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 5th day of September 2019.

/s/Jennifer A Sanfilippo \_\_\_\_\_  
Jennifer A Sanfilippo