FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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**OMB APPROVAL** STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative

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	e conditions of ee Instruction																		
Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Rolph Timothy				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Akero Therapeutics, Inc. [ AKRO ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner							
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Common Stock 01/07/			01/07/	2025		<b>G</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		14,000	D		\$ <mark>0</mark>	170,237			D				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, Transaction of		ative rities ired osed	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents shares of the Issuer's Common Stock that the reporting person donated as a gift to a donor advised fund.

/s/ Jonathan Young, Attorney-

01/10/2025

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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