FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Johnson David Michael					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Zentalis Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [ ZNTL ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First)	,	ddle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/21/2024								Officer (give title below)			Other (sp	pecify below)	
C/O ZENTALIS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 10275 SCIENCE CENTER DRIVE				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indivi	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(Street) SAN DIEGO	CA		121	F	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense							nse						
(City) (State) (Zip) Conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
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				(	,	if any (Month/E	Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3		Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				06/2	1/2024			Α		48,42	9 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$0	192,818 D				
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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ransaction le (Instr. 8)  5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amount o Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 and 4)					8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
Explanation of Bospons				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis		Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares	r Transaction(s)				

1. Represents restricted stock units granted pursuant to the Issuer's Non-Employee Director Compensation Program, each of which represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock, and which will vest on the first to occur of (a) June 21, 2025 or (b) the next occurring annual meeting of the Issuer's stockholders, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service on the Issuer's Board of Directors through such vesting date.

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

/s/ Andrea Paul, attorney-in-fact for <u>David M. Johnson</u>

06/21/2024

\*\* 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).

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### **POWER OF ATTORNEY**

With respect to holdings of and transactions in securities issued by Zentalis Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Company"), the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Kimberly Blackwell, Cam Gallagher, Andrea Paul and Vincent Vultaggio, or any of them signing singly, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, to act as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- execute for and on behalf of the undersigned (a) Schedules 13D and 13G in accordance with Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and the rules thereunder, (b) Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16 of the Exchange Act and the rules thereunder, and/or (c) Forms 144 in accordance with Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act");
- do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary
  or desirable to complete and execute any such Schedule 13D or 13G, Form 3, 4, or 5, or Form
  144, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such
  schedule or form with the SEC and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- 3. take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

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 powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution and resubstitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorneys-in-fact substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted.

The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 13 and Section 16 of the Exchange Act or Rule 144 under the Securities Act.

This Power of Attorney supersedes any and all prior Powers of Attorney relating to the subject matter hereof and shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Schedule 13D and 13G, Forms 3, 4, and 5, and Forms 144 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 28 day of April , 2024.

David Johnson

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