FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) Imbrogno Edward 06/20/2019						3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PDL BIOPHARMA, INC. [PDLI]							
(Last) 932 SOUTHWOO (Street) INCLINE VILLA((City)		(Middle) 89451 (Zip)				A. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) VP, Finance and CAO				5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
				Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	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)				
Common stock						22,357 D							
							curities Beneficially Owned options, convertible securities	s)					
			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Deriv (Instr. 4)		vative Security	4. Conversion Exercise Price of Derivative	e Form: Direct		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
				Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares	- Security				
Stock Option (right to buy) 12/19/2019 ⁽¹⁾ 12/19/2028					12/19/2028		Common stock	288,611 2.68		D			
Stock Option (right to buy) 03/24/2020 ⁽¹⁾ 03/24/2029					Common stock 108,766 3.		3.69	D					
Explanation of Respo	nses.				•			•	•				

Explanation of Responses

1. The stock options will vest as follows: (a) 25% of the shares subject to the option shall vest on the one year anniversary of the grant date and (b) 75% of the shares subject to the option shall vest on a monthly basis pro rata over the thirty-six (36) months following the one year anniversary of the grant date, provided that the recipient's continuous service has not terminated prior to the applicable vesting date, subject to earlier vesting upon a change in control and certain qualifying terminations of employment provided in the severance agreement between the issuer and the recipient. Remarks:

> /s/ Nathan Kryszak, Attorney-in-Fact for Edward Imbrogno 06/24/2019

** 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).
 Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Nathan N. Kryszak. and Christopher Stone, and each of them, his or her, true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

(1) prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, i

(2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director, and/or person who holds more than 10% of the stock

(3) 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 Form 3, 4 or 5, comp

(4) 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 bese 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, necessar 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 with respect to the undersigned The undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 20th day of June, 2019.

By: /s/ Edward Imbrogno Printed Name: Edward Imbrogno