

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

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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

(Print or Type Responses)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Wuchterl Donald A.	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 04/14/2021	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABEONA THERAPEUTICS INC. [ABEO]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1330 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, 33RD FLOOR	04/14/2021				5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10019		Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exer	cisable	3. Tit	le and Amount of	4. Conversion	5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
(Instr. 4)	and Expiration Date		Securities Underlying Derivative		or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)		Security		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			(Instr. 4)		Derivative Security:	Security: Direct	
	Date	Expiration		Amount or Number of	Security	(D) or Indirect	
	Exercisable	Date	Title	Shares		(I)	
				Shares		(Instr. 5)	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
		10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Wuchterl Donald A. 1330 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, 33RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019	Х						

## **Signatures**

/s/ Brendan M. O'Malley, as Attorney-in-fact	04/21/2021
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

### No securities are beneficially owned

- \* 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).

### **Remarks:**

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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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#### POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned, Donald A. Wuchterl, hereby constitutes and appoints Brendan M. O'Malley, Esq. as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Abeona Therapeutics Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5, including amendments thereto, in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and the rules and regulations thereunder;
- (2) 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, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the Securities and Exchange Commission 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 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 or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's 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 attorney-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

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's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier (a) revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorney-in-fact or (b) superseded by a new power of attorney regarding the purposes outlined herein as of a later date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 15th day of April, 2021.

/s/ Donald A. Wuchterl Donald A. Wuchterl