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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Grosswald Ralph					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Virios Therapeutics, Inc. [VIRI]										Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/12/2022									X	Officer (gi below)	ive title Other (specific below) VP OF OPERATIONS			pecify
44 MILTON AVENUE					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
(Street) ALPHARETT	ΓA GA	3	0009												Form filed	d by More	than C	ne Reportin	g Person
(City)	(State) (2	Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date					ansaction ath/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		(A) or (D) (R) Price		and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owner Following Reporter Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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)	Co	Transaction Code (Instr.		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)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Co	de	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or No	mount r umber f Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(s)		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$0.2789	12/12/2022			A		80,000		(1)	1	2/12/2032	Common Stock	8	80,000	\$0	80,00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The stock option vests one-third on December 12, 2023 and 1/24th monthly thereafter.

/s/ Greg Duncan, Attorney-in-Fact 12/14/2022

** 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).
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