FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

			or Section 30(n) of the investment Company Act of 1940	
1. Name and Address o ORBIMED AD	1 0		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Galecto, Inc. [GLTO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner
	irst)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2023	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)
601 LEXINGTON	AVENUE, 54T	H FLOOR	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
(Street)				Form filed by One Reporting Person
NEW YORK N	Y	10022		X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City) (Si	tate)	(Zip)	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication	
			Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See	
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (li 8)		Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	07/31/2023		s		26,622	D	\$3	135,531	I	See footnotes ⁽¹⁾ (4)
Common Stock	07/31/2023		s		29,700	D	\$3	879,867	I	See footnotes ⁽²⁾ (4)
Common Stock	07/31/2023		s		153,078	D	\$3	2,105,909	I	See footnotes ⁽³⁾ (4)

		Tab	ole II - Derivati (e.g., pu					ired, Disp options, o					ed		
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)	4. Transac Code (Ir 8)		Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D	vative rities lired r osed) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	Amou Secu Unde Deriv Secu	rities rlying ative	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
		Reporting Person [®]													
(Last) 601 LEX		(First) AVENUE, 54TH	(Middle) I FLOOR												
(Street) NEW Y	ORK	NY	10022												
(City)		(State)	(Zip)												
		f Reporting Person [*] is <u>GP LLC</u>	×												
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Explanation of Responses:

1. These securities are held of record by OrbiMed Genesis Master Fund, L.P. ("OrbiMed Genesis"). OrbiMed Genesis GP LLC ("Genesis GP") is the general partner of OrbiMed Genesis and OrbiMed Advisors LLC ("OrbiMed Advisors") is the managing member of Genesis GP. By virtue of such relationships, OrbiMed Advisors and Genesis GP may be deemed to have voting power and investment power over the securities held by OrbiMed Genesis and, as a result, may be deemed to have beneficial ownership over such securities. OrbiMed Advisors exercises voting and investment power through a management committee comprised of Carl L. Gordon, Sven H. Borho, and W. Carter Neild, each of whom disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by OrbiMed Genesis.

2. These securities are held of record by OrbiMed Israel Partners II, L.P. ("OIP II"). OrbiMed Israel GP II, L.P. ("OrbiMed Israel") is the general partner of OIP II and OrbiMed Advisors Israel II Limited ("OrbiMed Limited") is the general partner of OrbiMed Israel. By virtue of such relationships, OrbiMed Limited and OrbiMed Israel" may be deemed to have voting power and investment power over the securities held by OIP II and, as a result, may be deemed to have beneficial ownership over such securities. OrbiMed Limited exercises voting and investment power through a management committee comprised of Carl L. Gordon, David P. Bonita, and Erez Chimovits, each of whom disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by OIP II.

3. These securities are held of record by OrbiMed Private Investments VII, LP ("OPI VII"). OrbiMed Capital GP VII LLC ("GP VII") is the general partner of OPI VII and OrbiMed Advisors is the managing member of GP VII. By virtue of such relationships, OrbiMed Advisors and GP VII may be deemed to have voting power and investment power over the securities held by OPI VII and, as a result, may be deemed to have beneficial ownership over such securities. OrbiMed Advisors exercises voting and investment power through a management committee comprised of Carl L. Gordon, Sven H. Borho, and W. Carter Neild, each of whom disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by OPI VII.

4. Each of OrbiMed Advisors, Genesis GP, OrbiMed Israel, OrbiMed Limited, and GP VII disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein for purposes of Rule 16a-1(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, if any. This report shall not be deemed an admission that any such person or entity, including the Reporting Persons, is a beneficial owner of such securities for the purpose of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, or for any other purpose.

<u>/s/ Carl L. Gordon, Member</u> <u>of OrbiMed Advisors LLC</u>	<u>08/02/2023</u>
<u>/s/ Carl L. Gordon, Member</u> of OrbiMed Genesis GP LLC	<u>08/02/2023</u>
<u>/s/ Carl L. Gordon, Director</u> of OrbiMed Advisors Israel II Limited	<u>08/02/2023</u>
/s/ Carl L. Gordon, Director of OrbiMed Advisors Israel II Limited, general partner of OrbiMed Israel GP II, L.P.	<u>08/02/2023</u>

Date

** 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).

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