FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Astle Christopher</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Zymeworks Inc. [ ZYME ]						(Che	eck all applic Directo	cable) or (give title		Owner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ZYMEWORKS INC. 108 PATRIOT DRIVE, SUITE A				(	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2023							SVP & Chief Financial Officer				
(Street) MIDDLETOWN DE 19709				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)													
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
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						Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		(111501.4)			
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		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year	Cod	saction e (Instr.			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 derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$8	01/05/2023		A		47,000		(1)	01/04/2033	Common Stock	47,000	\$0.00	47,000	) D		
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	01/05/2023		A		31,500		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	31,500	\$0.00	31,500	) D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Stock options vest as follows: (i) 25% of underlying shares of common stock on first anniversary of grant date and (ii) remainder of underlying shares of common stock in 36 equal monthly installments on last day of month following first anniversary of grant date.
- 2. Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents the contingent right to receive, upon vesting of the RSU, one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- 3. The RSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 5, 2024.

## Remarks:

/s/ Daniel Dex, Attorney-in-Fact

01/06/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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