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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)									
Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Filho Jose Octavio Pinto Costa	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/12/2021				3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Monopar Therapeutics [MNPR]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 SKOKIE BLVD SUITE 350			Issuer	Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
(Street) WILMETTE, IL 60091			Director X Officer (give 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		
·			Chief Medica		Medical Offic	dical Officer			
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)		Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) (D) or (I)			3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exer and Expiration (Month/Day/Yest)		cisable 3. Title and A Securities Un		and Amount of ies Underlying Derivat y	Derivative 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative		ion 5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
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### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Filho Jose Octavio Pinto Costa 1000 SKOKIE BLVD SUITE 350 WILMETTE, IL 60091			Chief Medical Officer		

### **Signatures**

/s/ Kim R. Tsuchimoto, Attorney-in-Fact	07/12/2021	
**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 24 - Power of Attorney

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#### MONOPAR THERAPEUTICS INC. CONFIRMING STATEMENT REGARDING AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE SECTION 16(a) REPORTS

This Statement confirms that the undersigned, Jose Octavio Pinto Costa Filho c/o Monopar Therapeutics Inc., 1000 Skokie Blvd., Suite 350, Wilmette, IL 60091 (the "Insider"), has authorized and designated Kim R. Tsuchimoto and Chandler D. Robinson of Monopar Therapeutics Inc. (the "Company"), John Harrington and Robert Rupp, Esq. of Baker Hostetler, the Company's United States legal counsel, and each of them (each of the foregoing is referred to as an "Authorized Signer") to execute and file on the Insider's behalf a Form ID and any and all Forms 3, 4 and 5 (including any amendments thereto) that the Insider may be required to file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission under Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as a result of the Insider's ownership of, or transactions in, securities of the Company. The authority of the Authorized Signers under this Confirming Statement shall continue until the Insider is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with regard to the Insider's ownership of, or transactions in, securities of the Company, unless earlier revoked in writing. The Insider acknowledges that none of the Authorized Signers is assuming any of the Insider's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

/s/ Jose Octavio Pinto Costa Filho Jose Octavio Pinto Costa Filho