

INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Shapiro David

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 INTERCEPT  
 PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ICPT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 CMO and EVP - Development

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O INTERCEPT  
 PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 450  
 W. 15TH STREET, SUITE 505  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 03/17/2014

NEW YORK, NY 10011  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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
Common stock	03/17/2014		M	<u>1</u>	4,917	A	\$ 10.4001 13,580
Common stock	03/17/2014		M	<u>1</u>	4,000	A	\$ 10.4001 17,580
Common stock	03/17/2014		S	<u>1</u>	456	D	\$ 410.9195 17,124 (3)
Common stock	03/17/2014		S	<u>1</u>	742	D	\$ 421.4607 16,382

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Common stock	03/17/2014	S	(1)	258	D	\$ 422.0461	16,124	D
Common stock	03/17/2014	S	(1)	1,000	D	\$ 432.303	15,124	D
Common stock	03/17/2014	S	(1)	1,000	D	\$ 444.2455	14,124	D
Common stock	03/17/2014	S	(1)	1,000	D	\$ 463.91	13,124	D

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

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**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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option to sell Common Stock	\$ 10.4001	03/17/2014		M (1)	4,917	(2) 04/01/2018	Common stock	4,917
Option to sell Common Stock	\$ 10.4001	03/17/2014		M (1)	4,000	(2) 04/01/2018	Common stock	4,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Shapiro David  
C/O INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.  
450 W. 15TH STREET, SUITE 505  
NEW YORK, NY 10011

CMO and EVP - Development

## Signatures

/s/ Bryan Yoon, as  
attorney-in-fact

03/19/2014

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(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).

- (1) The reported transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person on December 19, 2013.
- (2) All shares underlying this option have vested.

This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$410.68 to \$410.9868. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(4) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$421.0200 to \$421.8100. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(5) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$422.0400 to \$422.0500. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(6) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$432.2521 to \$432.4100. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(7) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$444.0000 to \$444.9900. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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