#### **BIENAIME JEAN JACQUES**

Form 4

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## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BIENAIME JEAN JACQUES			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC [BMRN]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)  C/O BIOM PHARMAO DIGITAL	ARIN CEUTICAL INC	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2012				_X Director 10% Owner Specify only the Chief Executive Officer Chief Executive Officer					
NOVATO	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
NOVATO, CA 94949							Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - N	on-l	Derivative	Secur	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	omr Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (A) or	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)	
Common Stock	03/09/2012	03/09/20	012	M	V	Amount 15,000	(D)	Price \$ 6.47	129,093	D		
Common Stock	03/09/2012	03/09/20	012	S		15,000	D	\$ 34.4578 (1)	3 114,093	D		

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.47	03/09/2012	03/09/2012	M	15,000	05/11/2006(2)	05/10/2015	Common Stock	15,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

BIENAIME JEAN JACQUES C/O BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC. 105 DIGITAL DRIVE NOVATO, CA 94949

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Chief Executive Officer

Relationships

## **Signatures**

/s/ Laura Randall Woodhead, Attorney-in-Fact 03/13/2012

\*\*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).
- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received ranged from \$34.20 to \$34.71. The reporting person will (1) provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (2) Original option grant vested 1/3 each on May 11, 2006, May 11, 2007, and May 11, 2008.

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